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THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Stockholders Meeting in Boston—Election of Directors—Resignation of the Vice-President, Treasurer and a Director.

BOSTON, Wednesday, May 26.

The election of a Board of Directors for the Union Pacific Railroad Company was held in Boston yesterday, under the recent act of Congress, when the following gentlemen were chosen unanimously:

Oliver Ames, of Massachusetts; Benjamin E. Bates, of Massachusetts; Sidney Dillon, of New-York; John Duff, of Massachusetts; C. H. McCormick, of New-York; Wm. T. Gledden, of Massachusetts; C. H. Bushnell, of Connecticut; F. G. Dexter, of Massachusetts; R. F. Hazard, of Rhode Island; E. Atkins, C. A. Lombard, O. B. Chapman, E. H. Baker, John E. Duff and F. Blekerson, of Massachusetts.

In consequence, it was stated, of the expiration of the injunction of Judge BARNARD and the numerous processes which he issued at the suit of FISK, it was advisable to select a large proportion of the directors from Massachusetts, in order to be freed from such suits. The following letters of resignation were received and read:

NEW-YORK, May 24, 1869.

To the President and Board of Directors of the Union Pacific Railroad Company:

GENTLEMEN: The last rail has been laid; the successful completion of this great work, in so short a time, is unparalleled in history, and will probably never be equaled. To have been instrumental in its accomplishment is an honor which should gratify any ambition to which it may have aspired. Since the organization of the Company I have, at much personal sacrifice, devoted my time and energies to the promotion of its interests. My private affairs demand my attention, and the present seems a fit occasion for tendering my resignation as Vice-President of the Company, to take effect whenever you are ready to elect my successor, and at the same time to decline being elected as a director of the Company at the ensuing election. The success of the enterprise, at will, in a great measure, depend upon the future economical management of the operating department, which I have no doubt will receive proper attention at your hands. Believing this to be your policy, I shall return my interest as the largest stockholder in the Company; and with my best wishes for its prosperity, I remain, respectfully yours,

THOMAS C. DURANT.

NEW-YORK, May 1, 1869.

DEAR SIR: It has never been my intention to remain in the direction of the Union Pacific Railroad after its completion; and as it is now substantially done, and the stockholders have chosen a first class Board, I herewith tender my resignation. The decision of the stockholders to remove the office of the Company to Boston renders it necessary that the Treasurer should reside in Boston. I therefore resign that position, to take effect from this date.

Very respectfully your obedient servant,

JOHN J. CISCO.

OLIVER AMES, Esq., President Union Pacific Railroad Company.

NEW-YORK, May 5, 1869.

Oliver Ames, President of the Union Pacific Railroad Company.

RESPECTED FRIEND: The office of the Company having very properly been removed to Boston, I have been reflecting upon the propriety of my continuing to act as a director, and have concluded that it will not be practicable or convenient for me to leave my business to attend meetings of the Board in that city. The road being now complete or nearly so, it appears to me proper that practical railroad men, such as are willing to attend to the duties of the position, should now be called on to make the great work a success, and thus give full value to the stock. I therefore beg to tender my resignation as a director.

With kind regards to each member of the Board, I am, respectfully, your friend,

WILLIAM H. MACY.

The organization of the Pacific Railroad Company was completed to-day, the Board of Directors having elected OLIVER AMES, President; JOHN DUFF, Vice-President; JOHN M. S. WILLIAMS, of Massachusetts, Treasurer, and E. H. ROLLINS, of New-Hampshire, Secretary and Assistant Treasurer.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

The Convention at Boston—Letters from John Stuart Mill, Robert Collyer and Others—The Duty of Congress—Entertaining Speeches.

BOSTON, Wednesday, May 26.

A public meeting, which was largely attended, was held by the New-England Woman's Suffrage Association in Horticultural Hall today, Mrs. JULIA WARD HOWE presiding. Prayer was offered by Rev. Mrs. P. A. HANNAFORD. Letters sympathising with the movement were read from ROBERT COLLYER, ANNA DICKINSON, J. STUART MILL, GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS, Mrs. EDNA D. CHENEY and Hon. GEO. T. HOAR.

The following is the letter of Mr. MILL:

AVIGNON, April 12, 1869.

DEAR MADAM: I am very much honored by the wish of the New-England Woman's Suffrage Association that I should be present at their annual meeting, but they have been misinformed as to my having any present intention of visiting America. Should I ever contemplate such a visit, there are no persons on your side of the Atlantic with whom it would give me more pleasure to exchange marks of sympathy than with those who are working so energetically for a cause so dear to me as that of the equal claim of all human beings, independent of sex, to the full rights of citizenship, and freedom of competition on equal terms for all social advantages. I am, &c., very sincerely yours,

J. S. MILL.

The meeting was addressed in the forenoon by WENDELL PHILLIPS, RALPH WALDO EMERSON, Miss LELA PECKHAM, (a young lady studying law in Milwaukee,) Rev. Mr. CLUTE, of Vineland, N. J., and others, all warmly in favor of woman's suffrage.

Among a series of resolutions offered by LUCY STONE BLACKWELL was the following:

Resolved, That the sixteenth amendment to the general Constitution, prepared by Hon. GEORGE W. JULIAN, which prohibits political distinctions on account of sex, should take precedence of any national question of minor political expediency, and is essential to a permanent reconstruction of the Union, and is of vital importance to the peace and prosperity of the Republic.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At the afternoon session, Rev. GILBERT HAVEN said that mankind was so wedded to custom that the call to new duties was generally met by murmuring and discontent. He claimed that woman was a man in a true, serene sense, and that no man had a right to say that he had rights that a woman has not. It was not so much a right as it was a duty for woman to have the ballot. The capacity of woman to transact the business of men had received a providential sanction which was equivalent to a confession of the equality of woman. The demand of women for the ballot was a necessary outgrowth of Christianity, and it was only ignorance and prejudice that had kept the ballot out of her hands.

Rev. Miss PHEBE A. HANNAFORD held that, as women had equal rights and responsibilities with men, they should have the ballot. She discussed the unjust distinctions against women, and argued that the remedy for her wrongs was the right to vote. God meant that man and woman should work together on a common legal platform. The vote of women would purify legislation.

Mrs. LIVERMORE answered a few questions, the first of which was, How can women who cannot fight enforce the laws which they might make? This was answered by saying that, if only those should vote who could fight, a large portion of the men would be disfranchised, and as large a number of women would receive the ballot.

LABOR REFORM.

Second Meeting of the New-England League at Boston—Telegram from Senator Sprague.

BOSTON, Wednesday, May 26.

The New-England Labor Reform League reassembled to-day, the President, E. H. HAYWOOD, presiding. The forenoon session was thinly attended and the proceedings without special interest. Miss CORA A. BYRE was the first speaker in the afternoon. She ignored the dependence of labor on capital. She would reconstruct society out of the bosom of the masses.

Hon. EDWARD AVERY argued that if we wish to maintain our position as a free people, we must advocate free trade, free money, and a universal ballot.

Miss JULIA ROCKWOOD advocated the eight-hour movement, and woman suffrage. It was only through the latter that woman could obtain her rights.

ALBERT BRISBANE, who spoke yesterday, resumed his remarks on the reconstruction of the industrial interests on a scientific basis.

A telegraphic dispatch dated Aiken, S. C., May 24, was read from Senator SPRAGUE, stating that he had declined to address the people of the various Southern cities on the financial questions of the day on account of private engagements, and that by the force and weight of the measures he had intended to scatter the powers now weighing on the people. By cooperation and vigorous action thereon of the people of the whole country, "can prosperity be again assured to our institutions? Persevere! Be not deceived and let your deliberations be bold and confident."

STEPHEN S. FOSTER was opposed to monopoly in all its forms and to the Eight-Hour law. He was in favor of an equal division of property, provided it does not pass into the hands of monopolists.

IRA STEWARD, of Cambridge, argued that the corporations of the State must adopt the eight-hour system or be forced to surrender their charters. In spite of the cowardice, stupidity and selfishness of legislators, all he asked for and more would be yielded, sooner or later, because the friends of labor reform were right. With cooperation money panics and failures would become as impossible as famines.

TENNESSEE.

The Political Campaign—Governor Brownlow in Favor of Senter for Governor—Strength of Stokes in East Tennessee.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Wednesday, May 26.

Governor BROWNLOW announces himself in favor of SENTER for Governor, as against STOKES, in a published card. The excitement among Republicans is great and the contest bitter. East Tennessee is remarkably strong for STOKES, notwithstanding BROWNLOW and his friends bitterly oppose him.

Large Fire in Mobile—The President of the Board of Trade Killed.

MOBILE, Wednesday, May 26.

A fire occurred on Commerce, between St. Michael and St. Louis streets, last night, by which the following were losers: CHILDERS & DAVIS, grocery dealers; FOSTER & GARDNER, and F. E. STOLLENWERCK & Co., commission merchants; OZEN & ARMSTRONG, feed stores, and BAKER & Co., forwarding merchants. Colonel L. T. WOODRUFF, a prominent business man and President of the Board of Trade, lost his life. Two other men were seriously injured by the falling of the walls. The loss is estimated at between $40,000 and $50,000.

MOBILE, Ala., Wednesday, May 26—Evening.

The funeral of Colonel WOODRUFF, late President of the Board of Trade, was the largest ever witnessed in Mobile. His body laid in state in the Board of Trade rooms until 4 o'clock, when it was removed to the Methodist Church, followed by the Board of the Presbyterian Assembly in a body. All the stores were closed at 3 o'clock, out of respect to deceased.

The Presbyterian General Assembly at Mobile.

MOBILE, Ala., Wednesday, May 26.

In the Presbyterian General Assembly the greater part of the morning was spent in discussing a plan for the evangelization of the blacks. Dr. GIRARDEAU made an able speech in favor of the plan which was recommended. It provides that, where practicable, the Presbyteries may organize separate colored churches, to be supplied for the present with white pastors and ruling elders of their own color. The pastors of the white churches are to supply these pulpits as far as possible. Suitable colored exhorters may be employed under direction of the pastors. When colored candidates for the ministry show themselves fitted for ordination, they may be ordained with the understanding that they shall henceforth be ecclesiastically separated from the whites. The ministers and people are urged to efficient labors among the blacks.

THE NEW-ORLEANS CONVENTION.

Business of the Second Day—The Obstructions at the Mouth of the Mississippi—The Levees and Railroad Questions.

NEW-ORLEANS, Wednesday, May 26.

The Commercial Convention assembled this morning, but the committees being unprepared to report, it adjourned, after some unimportant business, to this afternoon. Upon reassembling at 3 o'clock, several committees presented reports. The Committee on Western Trade presented a communication, with resolutions, looking to the encouragement of iron barges for transportation of freight on the Western rivers.

The Committee on the removal of obstructions from the mouth of the Mississippi River, recommended the appointment of a committee to prepare a memorial to Congress demonstrating the national importance of the objects referred to and asking Congressional attention, and that the President of the Convention be instructed to forward copies of the resolutions and the memorial to the President of the United States and each Senator and Representative in Congress. Also, that the Committee be directed to apply without delay to the President and the United States Engineer Bureau, for an assignment of a portion of the general appropriation for river improvement, to be expended on the speedy prosecution of the work already commenced at the mouth of the Mississippi.

The Committee on Levees presented a communication indorsing the Resounding bill presented to Congress at the late session, and providing national aid in the construction of levees.

The Committee on the Pacific Railroad presented majority and minority reports. The majority report favors a direct route from Cairo to Mazatlan; the minority report favors the Memphis El Paso Grand Trunk route, with branches to various important points South. Mr. WILLIAMS, of Tennessee, in presenting the minority report, made a brief speech advocating the route described as being within the territory of the United States, and opposing any route touching foreign territory. His remarks received considerable applause. The reports were generally voluminous. They were ordered to be printed and were made the special order for to-morrow morning.

The Virginia Campaign—Conservative Meeting at Richmond.

RICHMOND, Wednesday, May 26.

A large Conservative meeting was held in the Park this afternoon. Addresses were made by Hon. THOMAS S. FLOURNOY and others in favor of Mr. WALKER, the Republican candidate for Governor. Mr. WALKER was also present and made a brief address. His appearance was hailed with cheers.

THE TURF.

DERBY DAY AT EPSOM.

A Brilliant Assemblage—Over a Quarter of a Million Present—"Pretender" the Winner—"Pero Gomez" Second.

LONDON, Wednesday, May 26.

To-day was the second of the Epsom Summer meeting. The great feature of the day was the renewal of the Derby Stakes of 50 sovereigns each, half forfeit, colts to carry 129 pounds, fillies 117 pounds for three-year olds, one mile and a half, the second horse to receive 200 sovereigns, and the third 100 out of the stakes; 254 subscribers. There was a tremendous throng of people on the ground to see the sport, and all the roads leading from the metropolis and other portions of the country were crowded and jammed with vehicles and people. Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales and Prince TECK were present, and there was a very large attendance of the nobility and gentry from all parts of the Kingdom, as well as from Paris and other parts of the Continent. There could not have been less than a quarter of a million of all classes present. The weather was fine and unusually warm, but copious showers having fallen during the preceding night, the usual dusty state of the roads was greatly allayed, much to the comfort of every one, and the turf, which previous to the rain, was rather hard, became softer and springy, and favored the running of the horses. The course, for the first half mile, was straight and on the ascent, when it took an easy curve into straight level running for a third of a mile, the course being very wide at this point; the remainder is on the descent, to the distance stand, where the ground again rises. The winner of the Derby this year also won the 2,000 guineas stake, and the betting had gradually improved in his favor from the previous quotations for the past two or three weeks, when it had stood at 2 to 1 against *Pretender*, 4 to 1 against *Pero Gomez*, 50 to 1 against *The Drummer*, 40 to 1 against *Duke of Beaufort*, and 25 to 1 against *Bushworth*. The betting was even against *Pero Gomez*, being placed first, second or third. There was a tremendous struggle at the finish, *Pretender* only beating *Pero Gomez* by a short head; while only a length divided *Gomez* and *The Drummer*.

Mr. W. Sadler's b. c. Pretender, by Adventurer, out of Farina.....1
Sir Joseph Hawley's br. c. Pero Gomez, by Beadsman, out of Salamanca.....2
Mr. G. Jones' b. c. The Drummer, by Rataplan, out of My Niece.....3
The Duke of Beaufort's b. c. Duke of Beaufort, by Trumpeter, out of Palm.....4
Lord Strafford's ro. c. Rupert, by Knowsley, out of Rapid Rhone's dam.....5
Mr. H. Saville's b. c. Bushworth, by Skirmisher, out of Vertumna.....6
Lord Scarborough's ch. c. Alpenstock, by Rataplan, out of Mountain Flower.....7
Captain Machell's ch. c. Martyrdom, (late Martyr,) by St. Albans, out of Eulogy.....8
Sir J. Hawley's b. c. King Cophetua, by Asteroid, out of Mendicant.....9
Mr. J. Johnstone's ch. c. Thorwaldsen, by Thormanby, out of Lady Ripon.....10
Mr. John Denman's br. c. Defender, (late Sling,) by Gunboat, out of Geneva, by Bill-day.....11
Mr. Padwick's b. c. Ethus, by Blair Athol, out of Theresa, by Touchstone.....12
Mr. Joseph Dawson's ch. c. De Vere, by St. Albans's, out of Apricot.....13
Mr. J. Jennings' br. c. Perry Down, by Ben Nevis, out of Airedale.....14
Mr. H. E. Burtons' b. c. The Agean, by Buccaneer, out of Thais.....15
Mr. J. Johnstone's ch. c. Border Knight, by Adventurer, out of Miriam.....16
Mr. Eastwood's b. c. Lord Hawthorne, by Kettledrum or King of Trumps, out of Lady Alice Hawthorn.....17
Mr. H. Saville's bl. c. Neuchatel, by Parmesan, out of Middleton Maid.....18
Lord Exeter's b. c. Teledos, by Knight of St. Patrick, out of Rosalba.....19
Sir R. W. Bulkeley's br. c. Yeoman, by Warlock, out of Tasmania.....20
Mr. C. Ashton's br. c. Ladas, by Lambton, out of Zenobos.....21
Mr. Merry's b. c. Belladrum, by Stockwell, out of Catharine Hayes.....22
Time—3 minutes 48 seconds. Value of the stakes, $6,800.

The betting just before the race was even on *Pretender*, 5 to 1 against *Pero Gomez*, 10 to 1 against *Perry Down*, 20 to 1 against *The Drummer*, and 50 to 1 against the *Duke of Beaufort*.

The Epsom Town Plate of 100 sovereigns, for all ages, half a mile, was won by Mr. H. WOOLCOTT'S *Conrad*, who beat Mr. REGINALD'S *Fugitive*, the Duke of NEWCASTLE'S *Prince Imperial*, and eight others. The betting was 2 to 1 against *Conrad*, and 6 to 1 against *Fugitive*.

Mr. H. Woolcott's b. c. Conrad, by Buccaneer, out of Viscontessa.....1
Mr. Reginald's b. c. Fugitive, by Blair Athol, out of Queen of Spain.....2
Duke of Newcastle's b. c. Prince Imperial, by Melbourne, out of Julia.....3

The Bentinck Plate of 100 sovereigns, half the entrance money to second horse, three-quarters of a mile, thirty-eight entries, at two sovereigns each.

Mr. REGINALD'S *Fugitive* beat Mr. WATTS' *Mysoula*, *Hecate* and ten others.

Mr. Reginald's b. c. Fugitive, by Blair Athol, out of Queen of Spain.....1
Mr. Watts' b. f. Mysoula, by Newminster, out of Souvenir.....2
—— Hecate.....3

Sketch of the Winner of the Derby—"Pero Gomez" the Second.

Pretender was bred by Mr. W. SADLER, and was sired by *Adventurer*, (a son of *Newminster*,) out of *Farina* by *Venison*. He is owned by Mr. JARDINE, who races under the surname of Mr. JOHNSTONE, who bought him when a yearling for $3,000. He first ran in public for the Hardwicke stakes, at Stockton, for which he ran second to his stable companion *Lord Hawthorne*, with whom Mr. JOHNSTONE declared to win. That gentleman on the same day started two, *Pretender* and *Thorwaldsen*, for the Lambton Plate, and declared to win with the latter, but the pair were beaten by *Measure*, a neck each only separating the three. *Pretender*, on his next appearance, achieved his maiden victory by winning the North of England Biennial at York, beating four others. His last appearance as a two-year old was in the Middle Park Plate, for which, carrying 128 pounds, he was placed third; *Pero Gomez* (116 pounds) being first, and *Scottish Queen* (115 pounds) second; the former winning easily by half a length, and three lengths between second and third. This year he started for and won the 2,000 Guineas Stakes at Newmarket, beating *Belladrum*, (second,) *Perry Down*, (third,) and nineteen others. In appearance *Pretender* is a great, rakish-looking colt, standing full sixteen hands, with a good, good-looking head, a muscular but well-formed neck, and uncommonly fine shoulders, which he inherits from his young sire *Adventurer*. He has great width and power over his hips, is very deep in the brisket, his arms are long and strong, and his hocks and knees are large, well-shaped and free from unsoundness or blemish. He has good wiry legs and capital feet; back strong, loins broad and muscular, and his frame altogether of great length.

Pero Gomez is by *Beadsman*, (the Derby winner of 1856,) out of *Salamanca*, and is owned by Sir JOSEPH HAWLEY, who last year won the Blue Riband of the Turf with *Blue Gown*, another son of *Beadsman*. He first made his appearance in public in the Middle Park Plate for two-year olds, at Newmarket, where, carrying 118 pounds, he beat *Scottish Queen*, (second,) *Pretender*, (third,) and eighteen others. The next day he ran a dead heat with *Wild Oats* for the Criterion Stakes, and subsequently divided. His first and only appearance this Spring was for the Tenth Biennial Stakes for three-year olds, at Newmarket, which he won by a neck from *Duke of Beaufort*, and four others.

The Turf—Trotting on the Fashion Course, Long Island.

Yesterday afternoon a Sweepstakes trot for $600, mile heats, in harness, came off on the above course. The horses entered are well known on the road, and were W. BORST'S br. m. *Nora O'Neill*, Dr. OGLES' b. g. *Red Rover*, and W. LOVELL'S b. g. *Young Commodore*. *Red Rover* was the favorite, and he won the race in four heats, *Nora O'Neill* taking the first, but being distanced in the third.

SUMMARY.

FASHION COURSE, Long Island, May 26—Stake $600, mile heats, best three in five, in harness.

Dr. Ogles' b. g. Red Rover	2	1	1	1
J. Lovell's b. g. Young Commodore	1	2	2	2
W. Borst's br. m. Nora O'Neill	3	3	3	3 dis.

Time—2:40½, 2:40, 2:38, 2:36.

OUR WESTERN EMPIRE.

The Coming Seat of Empire—First Look Upon the "Father of Waters"—St. Louis and Its Grand Future—Political Aspects—Trip to Pilot Knob and Iron Mountain—Divers Facts.

From Our Own Correspondent.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Thursday, May 20, 1869.

The "Father of Waters" is, in himself, neither beautiful nor sublime, neither grand nor picturesque; yet there came over me a thrill of profound emotion when, after being whirled for many hours across the flat, monotonous plains of Indiana—for our route lay by the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad from Cincinnati to St. Louis—we suddenly emerged on the banks of the renowned stream, and beheld the Mississippi flowing seaward in its "propulsive course;" flowing seaward till it loses itself in the torrid waters that lave the Spanish Main.

I looked then, for the first time, on the Great River.

While we were crossing in the ferry-boat from the railway terminus to St. Louis—for the bridge is yet a thing of the future—I found my wits occupied on a bit of metaphysical analysis, in attempting to realise how it comes about that the Mississippi, without being grand in itself, yet produces in the mind of the beholder the sense of grandeur. It occurred to me that we may consider two classes of the sublime in nature: of these is first the sublime *concentrated*—Niagara or the Alps, for instance; then there is the sublime *extended*—as the Rocky Mountains or the Mississippi. In the latter class of objects the sense of sublimity comes not through sight, but rather through an intellectual process, which supplements the fragment that actually meets the eye with all its belongings, which generalizes its details, and which reveals to the mental vision their continuity and completeness.

Well, it requires some such process in order to take in the full meaning and true grandeur of the Mississippi. Think of this; you may embark at St. Louis here, and steam for ninety days, up to Fort Benton, a distance of over *three thousand miles*, yet you will not have reached its sources, which are farther off still, among the Rocky Mountains. You will see that its swift-flowing head-waters wear away from the channels they traverse, *detritus* which, borne forward by the river's course, finally spreads itself out and goes to raise the sea-bottom at the *embouchure* of the Mississippi in the Gulf of Mexico. As you stand on its banks you will think of the vast region through which this mighty stream passes. You will reflect that it drains an area of 1,900,000 square miles. You will try to grasp, in your mind, the *ensemble* of this prodigious basin, so surpassingly rich in material resources, and so wondrously favored in means for the transport of the products of human industry. You will anticipate the swelling future awaiting this imperial domain—a domain which the child of to-day will live to see peopled by fifty millions of inhabitants, great, prosperous and happy. And if, as all these impressions crowd thick upon the fancy, you do not feel like devoutly kneeling at the sight of the Mississippi, as did the great Spaniard, who first of Europeans beheld this stream, you will certainly be but a callous observer, if at least you fail to kindle a little and catch some glow from the seen and the unseen, as you stand by the margin of the Father of Waters.

ST. LOUIS—ITS NEW LIFE AND GRAND FUTURE.

I have now been two or three days in St. Louis, looking into the actual condition and prospects of the city and of Missouri. In a day or two more I shall be able to reduce to something like systematic shape the mass of interesting information I have gathered regarding the resources of the State; but for the present I shall merely jot down, in a random way, such desultory observations as have occurred to me in the course of my walks and talks here.

And I wish, first of all, that I could convey to you, as forcibly as one feels it here, the impression of the fresh and vigorous activity which is animating this metropolitan city of Missouri, and which, as I doubt not, is preparing for it a dominant position in the destinies of the Great Valley. It is true St. Louis always led the State in all the elements of enterprise and progress; but it was not free from the blight which slavery, wherever it prevailed, left on the faculties of man, and it was further retarded by a sort of aristocratic family-ism which, more particularly among the old French portion of the population, led to the locking-up of wealth in immobile and unproductive forms. A new life and inspiration, however, have since the war seized St. Louis; her merchants, railroad men and shippers are now all aglow with the genuine Yankee spirit; grand projects looking to the continental and intercontinental distribution of the products of the Mississippi basin—projects for the past three or four years merely talked about—are to-day becoming actualities; and it is not to be doubted that a very great future awaits this city.

Nor are her citizens at all unconscious of her "destiny," or in the least backward in avowing their faith in what she is to be. This belief, as I have found, is beginning to take expression in that same "loud" tone characteristic of some of the Western cities lying farther to the north. I could not help smiling at one or two experiences of this sort that have befallen me since coming here. I happened, a few hours after my arrival, to be introduced to an old Missourian, a man prominent in politics, and sometime Democratic candidate for Governor of the State. Well, in the hiatus between a couple of fragrant juleps which we regaled ourselves withal, he thus delivered himself: "Sir, the Mississippi Valley is the seat of empire of the continent; Missouri is the Empire State of the Mississippi Valley, and [argal] St. Louis is bound to be the *Empire City of the continent*." The other morning on rising to ring for the morning papers, I read in the leading journal of this city an announcement of the arrival of your humble correspondent, who, it stated, (after compliments I should blush to quote,) was here "to note the present condition of the *future metropolis of the country*." I went yesterday with a friend to visit the Board of Trade, where I met a large number of the most active business men of the city, and heard everywhere the same tone. "Chicago?" said one to whom I ventured to mention the rival town on the Lake. "Chicago is a mud-hole compared with St. Louis: *here is the future emporium and distributing-point for the continent!*" Now, these little spurts of *blague*—these "bloviatings," to use an expressive westernism, are quite pleasing to a good-natured and moderately philosophical person, such as I flatter myself to be. I remember somewhere in EMERSON a passage in which the Concord sage, in his own inimitable way, defends and utilizes bragging. I can't recall the words, but their gist is this: that the braggart should always be allowed to deliver himself freely; encourage him in it, says EMERSON; accept it as his own ideal; then hold him to it, and in the end he will very likely work up to his own standard. I must add that I make this allusion not in the least to chaff St. Louis—for I fully, implicitly and unreservedly believe all her citizens say, and indorse alike politician, paper and merchant.

But these utterances are froth on the surface, bubbles thrown up by an effervescing vitality—or, at worst, tricks of mouthing caught from Chicago, perhaps. The real assurance of a great future for St. Louis is found in actual facts—facts of soil, situation, production, communication, distribution; facts, again, of a mental character—to wit, the energy, activity and aspiration of her citizens. St. Louis is no mushroom growth. The foundations of her prosperity are laid deep and solid, and on these foundations has gradually grown a very stable superstructure, well fitted to withstand all adverse winds. I have mentioned Chicago, and perhaps in a connection that might look a little like disparagement, (though such is not in the least intended, for as a New-Yorker I claim a cosmopolitan spirit,) but that city inevitably comes up by way of comparison and contrast with St. Louis. Chicago, as every one knows, is speculative, inclines to overtrading, to discounting everything, even the laws of fate that can't be discounted. The spirit of her business is bold, aggressive, risky. St. Louis is staider, more conservative, and of slower gait. Both styles have their benefits and their limitations. The one gains fast, overdoes things, and suffers in the reaction; the other progresses slowly, but holds to its possessions. For the moment, Chicago is on the flood-tide; but every now and then, when she flies it to the top of her bent, there comes a crisis, and then the conservative capitalists of St. Louis lend her merchants money and *take two and a half per cent. a month for the accommodation!* The amount of such capitalized wealth here, available for investment in genuine enterprise, is very large indeed, and nowhere throughout the country is there manifested a greater readiness to embark in such enterprises than in St. Louis—the instances, indeed, are numerous in which their readiness has been carried even to the ruin of the parties.

As I have already indicated, it will take one or two subsequent letters to make adequate statement of the productive forces, railroad interests, commercial relations and manufacturing industries of this city and State; so I will not enter on the subject now, but will close this section with a brief statement of the natural relations of St. Louis, and the facilities of communication which unmistakably point out the leading part it must take in the exchange and distribution of the products of the Mississippi Valley. The City of St. Louis very nearly bisects the direct distance of 1,400 miles between Superior City and the Balize. It is located twenty miles below the mouth of the Missouri, and 200 above the confluence of the Ohio. It is mistress of more than *sixteen thousand miles* of river navigation. Though yet in the infancy of its greatness, it is already a large city, with a length of about eight miles and a width of three. It contains about 200,000 inhabitants, and thus surpasses Chicago and Cincinnati in population. Its real and personal property has just been assessed, for this year, at $168,483,320.

POLITICAL ASPECTS.

I have had a very advantageous opportunity of acquainting myself with the details of political matters in Missouri, there being now in this city a convention of the editors and publishers of the State. There is at present, however, really very little of general interest in Missouri politics. I note, nevertheless, the development of a movement within the Republican Party looking toward a modification of the Disfranchisement laws; and this movement is likely to grow into great importance in the politics of the State.

The existing Disfranchisement laws of Missouri, as you are aware, are of extreme severity, and it is estimated that by their restrictions between fifty and seventy thousand voters are at present excluded from the suffrage. A large majority of the Republicans of the State still hold tenaciously to these restrictions. They are not merely Radicals, but what are known here as "Radicalism," which is supposed to be something a little stricter than the strictest sect of red-hot rebel-haters. This party were able to carry the last election and seat McCLURG, their representative man, in the Gubernatorial chair. Of the Governor I am bound, as a faithful chronicler, to say that the most sensible and intelligent Republicans here speak with undisguised contempt, as a person of mediocre ability and insignificant character. The leaders of the "Radicalism" still burn with the fierce passions of the war, breathe out nothing but threatenings and slaughters, and do their best to prolong the reign of passion, conscious that therein is the sole opportunity for the exercise of their mean abilities.

Meanwhile, within the Republican Party, and embodying itself in a number of the most vigorous intellects and sagacious politicians of the organization, is a growing disposition toward a policy more generous, more liberal and more in conformity with the doctrine of the party as laid down in the Chicago platform. They first acquired some degree of unity and coherence on the occasion of the famous "Planters' House Meeting," in 1866, and since that time have managed affairs with such skill and ability as gradually to bring over to them a considerable number of the "Radicalism," and foreshadow for themselves a controlling influence in the party. This organization includes in it such men as GROVENOR, of the *Democrat*, SCHURZ, BLOW, FOX, and the like. As I have mentioned SCHURZ, I may say that this organization had a signal triumph in his election to the Senate, for it was carried on a square fight against the extremists, and that, too, with many drawbacks to operate against their candidate. These men all think the test oath excessive in its severity, and favor great modifications of the rigors of disfranchisement. Their hopeful and practical view of the political situation in Missouri and the South is well exemplified in an article published a day or two ago in the *Westliche Post*, of which SCHURZ is editor, and from which I quote a single sentence:

"The volcano of the rebellion seems to be extinguished everywhere. New practical interests take the place of the wrathful remembrance of the Lost Cause; new ideas appear on the surface, and slowly but surely a reconstruction in the sentiments and the political views of the people is effected, which permits hope for the best in the future."

While the best men of the Republican Party are thus hoping and planning, the Democrats, Conservatives and "rebels" are jubilant over the assurance they feel that the Supreme Court, at its October sitting, will declare the test oath unconstitutional. With the large reinforcements from the now disfranchised which such a decision will bring to their ranks, they feel entire confidence in being able to wipe out the present Republican majority of twenty thousand, and overwhelmingly carry the State. Nevertheless, there are hopeful and sagacious Republicans of the class of which I have spoken who do not seem to be at all dismayed at this prospect. For, first of all, the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment would add to the Republican vote that of some twenty thousand colored men now excluded from the suffrage in this State. Then, again, these leaders will use their efforts, before the decision of the Court, by important modifications of the suffrage restrictions, to bring out a better issue of the conflict. But I know of courageous men here, and men of such judgment and opportunities of information as to entitle their opinion to the highest respect, who fully believe that, even with such a decision of the Court as would let down the bars to all now excluded from suffrage, *they can still carry the State for the Republican Party!* How this may be I am, of course, unprepared to say, but it is evident enough that the Fall Missouri politics promise to be lively and interesting enough to attract some attention from the rest of the country.

TRIP TO PILOT KNOB AND IRON MOUNTAIN.

To-day I joined the gentlemen of the Missouri Press Convention in a very agreeable and instructive excursion to Iron Mountain and Pilot Knob, distant some eighty miles south from St. Louis, and reached by the Iron Mountain Railroad. The train left the city at 8 in the morning, laden with the highly intellectual freight of some hundred newspaper men of this State. At the first station, Carondelet, we caught a glimpse of the furnace erected to test the Big Muddy (Illinois) coal, and noticed some splendid new furnaces in process of construction at the mouth of the Des Peres. On arriving at the Iron Mountain furnaces, owned by CHOUTEAU, HARRISON & VALLE, the train halted for half an hour, and the visitors ascended to the top of the mountain to obtain a better view of the surrounding country, and witness the process of digging the ore, which is found a short distance from the surface, much of it cropping out in naked boulders. The Iron Mountain as a mountain is not a very imposing object, for it is only some 280 feet above the valley, and rises by an apparently very gradual ascent; but the process of climbing was not so easy as it looked, and made some of us pant a good deal. The party having reached the top, Mr. THOMAS ALLEN, the President of the Iron Mountain Railroad Company, gave some interesting facts relative to the works and their surroundings. It appears the Company owns 28,000 acres of land, embracing several hills of iron ore, and the statement was made that there were at least 15,000,000 tons of ore above the surface of the ground. A shaft has been sunk 300 feet deep through solid ore without reaching the bottom of the deposit. The ore is here made only into pig metal, which is sent to Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Wheeling, &c., where it is rolled and manufactured. The works employ about 200 men, who turn out above 300 tons of pig iron per day. The demand both for the pigs and the ore is rapidly increasing, and the orders now on hand would require the smelting of 100 tons a day for a year. The ore produces from 50 to 60 per cent. of excellent iron. There are two furnaces here both using charcoal.

After finishing the inspection of Iron Mountain the train carried us to Pilot Knob, distant six miles. This remarkable formation is really a very striking object in the landscape. From afar it presents the appearance of a perfect cone. The distance from the "bottom," or place where the ore is loaded for transportation, to the top, or rather to the excavation where it is being quarried, is 2,000 feet, and the ascent is decidedly toilsome. Arriving at the summit, however, the pedestrian is rewarded by the sight of a landscape of wonderful interest and beauty. Instead of any detailed description, I may here extract from one of the morning journals a bit of description which, though marked by the occidental style of rhetorical splendor, is yet borne out in its essential statements by the reality of the scene:

"Once on the summit, seated on the titanic bowlders of mixed iron ore and porphyry, you look away upon a scene of most ravishing loveliness. Bathed in the bright sunlight, the green of their verdure blending with the blue that enwraps their summits, the hills lie like vast demons in slumber. Near by, on the summit of the Knob, in confused and broken modes towering here and there as if ready, by the impulse of a zephyr, to topple down the craggy sides of the mountains—others, seemingly torn from the embrace of their fellows and lying scattered in the grandest confusion, their gray sides, on which the tempests and tornadoes of ages had broken—stood the broken masses that formed the apex of this wonderful formation. The scene in the immediate neighborhood is one, not for the painter nor the poet—for words and canvas cannot contain the awful grandeur of it—but looking on which one might stand alone in the furious gales that blow forever there, and—pray. For there is but a single thought that rises superior to the surroundings, and that is—God!"

On the top of Pilot Knob the congregation of Press people were regaled with a speech from Lieutenant-Governor STANNARD, a man of fine intelligence and genial manners; and afterward listened to further observations from Mr. THOMAS ALLEN, himself a veteran editor, and many years ago printer to Congress.

We returned in the evening, all of us greatly pleased with the excursion.

PRESS OF ST. LOUIS.

The Press of St. Louis seems to be in a highly-flourishing condition. You are, of course, familiar with the broad countenances of the *Democrat* and the *Republican*—journals which, by a funny *lucus a non*, express in their titles the precise reverse of their politics—the *Democrat* being Republican, and the *Republican* Democratic. In addition to these there is the *Westliche Post*—the German organ; and there are two other Teutonic papers of no great currency. Of the evening journals there is also the *Dispatch*, an enterprising sheet of Conservative tendencies. I believe there are one or two other English papers; but they are not of much importance. I was rather surprised to learn the limited circulation of the papers here as compared with those of New-York. The *Westliche Post*, with a circulation of about 11,000, leads all the rest. The *Democrat* and *Republican*, I understand, print something like 10,000 or less. The advertising, however, is magnificently sustained, and the incomes of those lucky fellows, the publishers, is princely. As a single instance, I may mention that the profits of the BROTHERS KNAPP out of the *Republican* last year were $125,000. The two leading journals of opposite politics are both conducted with conspicuous ability; but the smallness of the editorial force employed strikes a New-York newspaper man. The Western Press is very far yet from having the completeness of organization of the great Eastern journals. As I am on the subject of journals, I ought not to omit to mention one devoted to the highest order of speculation; I mean the *Journal of Speculative Philosophy*. I rather think St. Louis enjoys the distinction of being the

THE BROADWAY CARS.

Another Accident on the Broadway Line—A Boy Injured—Attempt to Rob a Judge in One of the Cars.

WM. COYLE, aged 15, was accidentally thrown from the front platform of a Broadway car yesterday, at the corner of Wooster and Amity streets, when he had his head crushed. The driver whipped up his horses and escaped. This road has been quite prolific of accidents of late, several being of a fatal character.

Arrest of Two City Car Pickpockets.

Yesterday afternoon, as Judge JOHN B. SKINNER, of Buffalo, and a temporary inmate of the St. Nicholas Hotel in this City, was riding down town in a Broadway car, in company with Mr. JACOB SHARPE, the President of the Road, when near Canal-street Mr. SHARPE saw two men, who subsequently gave their names as CHARLES W. FAIRCHILD and GEORGE MOORE, make an attempt to steal from the pantaloons pocket of Mr. SKINNER a wallet containing $40. Mr. SHARPE immediately struck FAIRCHILD on the arm, and so prevented the commission of the larceny. Officer DUNNE, of the Sixth Precinct, happened to be in the neighborhood and arrested both of the pickpockets. When the prisoners were arraigned before Justice DOWLING they were committed for examination. Both men were identified in Court as well-known professional thieves. Fairchilds' real name is JOHN FARRELL, and he was convicted six years ago and sent to the State Prison, having only been recently released. The other was lately tried at the Special Sessions for sneak thieving.

IN A NEW ROLE.

An Actress Arraigned on a Charge of Larceny.

Miss KATE FISHER, who is well known in certain theatrical circles throughout the country, and is now playing an engagement at the Bowery Theatre, yesterday appeared before Justice SHANDLEY, at the Essex Market Police Court, in the entirely new character of the prisoner at the bar. Her appearance was compulsory, and was due to the fact that a warrant had been issued by the Justice for her arrest, based on an affidavit made before him by Mrs. ELIZA J. BEVINS, now living at the Centreville Hotel, Long Island. In the complaint the lady alleges that on the 16th of November, 1868, she was lying sick at her them residence, No. 39 East Fourth-street, and was informed by her daughter JULIA that Miss KATE FISHER had taken her watch and chain, valued at $200. She also states that Miss FISHER subsequently admitted that she had taken those valuables, and that the pawn-ticket for the articles had been given to her by one HEMMINGS, the agent of Miss FISHER.

To all of these averments the accused pleaded not guilty, and gave bail in the sum of $500 for her appearance for examination on Friday afternoon next. Her counsel stated that she would be able to prove that Mrs. BEVINS formerly accused HEMMINGS of the theft of the watch, in consequence of which he was arrested and tried for the crime at the General Sessions.

The Alien Rescue Case.

The case of THEODORE ALLEN, of the Eighth Ward, came up for hearing yesterday afternoon before Justice LEDWITH at the Jefferson Market Police Court. All the facts of the case have been published in the TIMES, and it will be remembered that ALLEN is charged with rescuing a prisoner from ROBERT F. TOWNLEY, a Special Deputy Sheriff, on the 27th of March last, and then being arrested and taken before Justice LEDWITH, he was discharged for want of proof. The present case is a resurrection of the old matter, and in its investigation the very same facts must be traveled over as on the original hearing.

The labors of yesterday were mainly confined to a rigid and protracted cross-examination of TOWNLEY, the prosecutor, and was conducted with a view to show that the present prosecution has a foundation in malice, and to furnish a basis for impeaching the credibility of the witness. Counsel with such manner of leading questions; as to whom he had offered $20 to appear and testify against ALLEN, but he uniformly answered that he had offered no one that or any other sum, but that he had said to several that he would pay them for the loss of time they might incur by their attendance.

The case has created intense interest among the shadowed nomads of the Eighth Ward, and large numbers of them were in attendance as spectators.

A Nice Point in Law.

JAMES O'HARA, a Special Deputy Sheriff, was arrested yesterday by Officer O'BYRNE, of the Tombs Court Squad, on a warrant issued by Justice DOWLING, on a charge of assault and battery. It appears that O'HARA, as a Deputy Sheriff, arrested on Monday ALBERT SCHIERNATHAU, the first mate of the Dutch ship Teresa, at Pier 27 river, on a civil action instituted at the instance of WM. H. SHIELDS, of No. 307 West Fourteenth-street. The charge of assault and battery is based on a claim that a sheriff cannot arrest an officer of a ship while the vessel is discharging cargo in foreign port. When the prisoner was arraigned before the magistrate, REED C. BURLEY, Consul-General for the Netherlands, certified that the complainant in the case was the first officer of the ship Teresa, and that it appeared from the declaration made by the master of the vessel, G. T. GALLIC, before the Consul-General, that the vessel was discharging cargo at claimed by the complainant. O'HARA was held for trial at the Special Sessions. Mr. SHIELDS, the original cause of the arrest of the mate and the alleged assault, became surety for the accused's appearance on trial. The case will prove an interesting one, as it involves a nice point in law.

Capture of a Desperate Burglar.

Tuesday evening about 8 o'clock the house of NELSON BOYCE, No. 108 West Twenty-eighth-street, was entered by two burglars who forced the lock of the outer door. Finding the house seemingly deserted by its occupants, they went to work gathering up dresses, pictures, ornaments, and other portables to carry away, and had got together property valued at $200 when they were interrupted by MARY BRADY and DINAH MURRAY, inmates of the house, who at once closed with the burglars, and notwithstanding their desperate resistance succeeded in holding one of them until the arrival of Officer BROWN of the Twenty-sixth Precinct, who took him in charge. The other ruffian escaped, and after the melee was over it was found that a small girl named MAGGIE BRADY, who had been giving her little aid in securing the burglars, had been severely injured. Officer BROWN yesterday took his prisoner before Justice DODGE, at the Jefferson Market Police Court, where he gave his name as WILLIAM DOWD, and with the usual nonchalance of the class pleaded not guilty, notwithstanding the clear proofs in proof against him. He was, however, committed without bail for trial at the General Sessions.

More Scoundrels in the Fourth Ward.

ANN MCMULLIGAN, aged 35, a native of Ireland, and now an inmate of the House of Detention, preferred a complaint before Justice DOWLING yesterday, at the Tombs, against JAMES BROOKS, aged 17, a native of New-York, and a resident of South Brooklyn, when she accused him of rape. It appears that the complainant was enticed into the alley-way of No. 36 Cherry-street, at a late hour on Tuesday night, by BROOKS and another young man, when they, through violence and concerted action, succeeded in outraging her person. When the magistrate examined into the case, PATRICK GORDON, of No. 38 Cherry-street, testified that at 11 o'clock he heard a woman scream, and on going into the alley he found the complainant crying for assistance, and her dress in a disordered condition. As ANN fully identified BROOKS as one of the assailants he was fully committed for trial in default of $2,000 bail. The prisoner denied his guilt.

Mayor's Office-Gift Enterprise Swindles Exposed.

In the Mayor's Office, yesterday, AUGUSTUS SCHNETALL complained that on Oct. 18, of last year, he bought at the ticket office Nos. 146 and 148 Liberty-street, a ticket for steamer *Hammonia*, for Hamburg, and at the same time gave to the person in charge of the office $600 in greenbacks, to be exchanged for gold coin. He received in exchange for his greenbacks forty-four half-sovereigns, (gold being at 128 premium,) thus being swindled out of $24 sterling. He was prevented from going on board the vessel until the last moment, and thus did not become aware of his loss until some time afterwards. Marshal TOOKER sent an officer to the ticket office and recovered the amount due the complainant.

Marshal TOOKER yesterday received the following letter:

To the Marshal of New-York:

DEAR SIR: I inclose you a letter from some New-York thieves, which explains itself. Please put the Police to Watch the post-office for the Rascals when they Receive the letter.

Also put the Police to watch the post office for "J. King & Co.," 37 Nassau St.—I set of Rogues who obtained money from me by leading me a Jove Hard, or showing things, cased in counterfeit Models, price of an 8-inch Musical Box, playing 36 Tunes. Arrest and punish those rogues if you can.

Very Re'y, W. TORREY.

EUFAULA, Ala., May 11, '69.

The Marshal is looking into these cases.

Launch of the Charles H. Marshall.

A launch took place yesterday morning of the ship *Charles H. Marshall*, from the yard of WILLIAM H. WEBB, on the East River, at the foot of Sixth-street. A large party of ladies and gentlemen were on board the vessel, and a numerous crowd of spectators were in attendance. She glided from her stocks at Fail o'clock, Miss CHRISTINE METCOCK, daughter of the foreman of the yard, at the same time pronouncing the name and breaking a bottle of champagne over the bow. The length of the new vessel is 198 feet, the breadth of beam is feet, and the depth of hold 20½ feet. She is painted black, with a narrow gold streak. She measures 2,000 tons, and will cost when entirely rigged, about $120,000. The name was taken from the late CHARLES H. MARSHALL, founder of the Liverpool Black Ball Line, to which the ship will belong. The Captain will be a nephew of that gentleman, who bears the same surname. The vessel is asserted to have been built in the best manner, with a live oak frame. Her agents will be CHARLES H. MARSHALL & Co., who are said to be also part owners.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS FOR THURSDAY.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.

Part II.—Held by Pratt, J.—Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

Nos. 697—The People ex rel. McOoskey vs. Colkin.
691—The People ex rel. Fowler vs. Bull.
[illegible]—Baker vs. Horing et al.
1480—First Nat'l Bank of Cincinnati vs. Kal. N. Sheetz & Co.
[illegible]—Volkening vs. Eldec.
617—Worth vs. Egerton.
1116—Welch vs. Spalding et al.
1029—Clark, jr., vs. Cassidy.
698—Lawrence vs. Brooklyn.
1402—Hall vs. Hughes.

Nos. 86—Matthews vs. Holly.
687—Durham et al vs. Fabers et al.
[illegible]—Tag vs. Strong et al.
1442—Morey et al. vs. Lillinder.
1118—Coulter vs. Board of Education.
1397—Manning et al. vs. Bates.
1261—Mittnacht vs. Langbrigenhausen.
1402—Haller vs. Central Park, N. & E. R. Ry. R. R. Co.
1491—Van Allen vs. Am'n Nat'l Bank.
1078—Hatchmeier et al. vs. Rothschild et al.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Held by Ingraham, J.—Court opens at 10:30 A. M.

Nos. 275—Nicholas vs. Preston
361—Donadi et al. vs. Ireland.
[illegible]—Boyce vs. Chester et al.
[illegible]—Beamish, Rec'ver, &c., vs. Woodbridge.
[illegible]—Muller vs. Haller et al.
[illegible]—Lynn vs. Treadwell.
[illegible]—Bouche vs. Flamant et al.
[illegible]—De Zenge vs. Flamant et al.
[illegible]—Hackettstown Nat. Bank vs. Rea et al.
[illegible]—Chase vs. Chase.
[illegible]—Lawson vs. Terry.

Nos. 670—Frith et al., Executors, vs. Campbell et al.
621—Sagomarsino vs. Saggomarsino.
692—Bell et al. vs. Waterbury et al.
659—Sherwood et al. vs. Harris, Trustee, et al.
694—Powers et al. vs. Morse et al.
645—Oakley, Ex'r, &c., vs. Dinforth et al.
417—Elmore vs. R. R. N. Y. & Jo. Railroad Co.
227—Davison et al., Trust., &c., vs. Gramme et al.
225—Same vs. Same.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Clerks, J.—Court opens at 10 A. M.—Call of Calendar at 12 M.

Reserved Cases.

Nos. 71—Bloomer vs. Newton.
79—Acker, Merrall & Condit vs. Glenville Woolen Co. et al.
82—Souza vs. Kipp.
83—Grant, Sheriff, &c., vs. Glenville Woolen Co.
85—Erie Railway Co. vs. Cobb.
86—Van Keller vs. Stursberg et al.
105—Stoner vs. Bose.
[illegible]—Tracy, Sheriff, &c., vs. Harp.
127—Moye vs. Kuhne.
135—Gross et al. vs. Martina.
134—Hall vs. Van Winkle.
Call No. 135—Manyhan et al. vs. Rowe et al.

Nos. 140—Angell vs. Atlantic and Great Western Railway Co. et al.
152—Morgan vs. Morgan.
153—Maverick vs. Maverick.
[illegible]—Braman, Trustee, &c., vs. O'Connor et al.
156—Blossom et al. vs. Pierce.
159—Wetmore et al. vs. Candee et al.
171½—Watson vs. Gardner.
176—Angell vs. Atlantic and Great Western Railway Co.
182—Willis et al. vs. Seibert.
[illegible]—Rowe et al.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Jones, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos. 281—Manahan et al. vs. Marshall Patent Mice Trapping Co.
[illegible]—Bans vs. Grob.
[illegible]—Flynn vs. Nouse.
1097—Schwerfeck vs. Mo-Naughton Cordwain Co.
[illegible]—Bouton vs. Elmer et al.
[illegible]—Jaeger et al. vs. Frost.
[illegible]—Raphaelsky vs. Lynch, Sheriff, &c.

Nos. 808—Hinchman, by Guardian, vs. Brown.
879—Wagner vs. McGuire.
921—Wollenburger, by Guardian, &c., vs. Ryan.
[illegible]—Diamond vs. O'Brien.
345—Hardaway, Bolt, Stike, Rivet Mfg. Co. vs. Caldwell.

Part II.—Held by Monell, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos. 128—Aggas, &c., vs. Funk et al.
786—Tunka vs. Schnepel.
722—Howell et al. vs. Schnepel et al.
[illegible]—Freilinghier vs. Sirch.
[illegible]—Hufnagel, Adm'r, &c., vs. Cristalar.
136—Lambert et al. vs. Phoenix Consolidated Co.
[illegible]—Daniels vs. Reilly, Sheriff, &c.

Nos. 675—Ramos vs. Ramos.
[illegible]—Bailey vs. Gardner, jr., Altinger.
[illegible]—Hoffman vs. Bishop et al.
1026—Vandermarde vs. Francis, &c.
1018—Waterbury vs. Willson.
1025—Schlicter vs. Blaum.
715—Fay, Adm'r, vs. Pendergast et al.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Daly, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Equity Cases.

Nos. 105—The Mayor, &c., vs. Perry and Fulton Ferry R. R. Co.
107—The Mayor, &c., vs. Dry Dock, B. Bway, 1st R. R. Co.

Nos. 105—The Mayor, &c., vs. Perry and 7th-av. R. R. Co.
[illegible]—Bathgate vs. Haskins.
[illegible]—Menke vs. Kruse.
[illegible]—Graham vs. Dean.

Part II.—Held by Barrett, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos. 140—Keefer vs. Winkins.
165—Menke vs. Kruse.
140—Pacific Mail Steamship Co. vs. Loring.

Nos. 20—Fitzpatrick vs. Baylan.
136—Smith vs. Durfee.
145—Herrick vs. Westcott.

MARINE COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Held by Judges Alker, Gross and Curtis—Court opens at 10 A. M.

Nos. 1—Burns vs. Matthews.
2—Mason vs. Williams.
3—Waldron vs. Hickman.
4—Stevens vs. Hillman.
5—Roberts vs. Howe.
6—Holmes vs. Lignecor.
7—Finch vs. Grund.
8—Moore vs. Mooney.
9—Monohan vs. Cox.
10—Jones vs. Lozeau.
11—Coleman vs. Ranney.
12—Wright vs. Langham.
13—Deluse vs. Hyanas.
17—Fox vs. Pruden.
18—Woods vs. Dague.

Nos. 19—Gibbs vs. Nation'l Gas-light Co.
20—Chandler vs. Nat. Gas-light Co.
21—Briggs vs. Dawson.
22—Beach vs. N. A. S. S. Co.
23—Merwile vs. Leonard.
24—Wemer vs. Grand and 42d-st. Railroad Co.
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29—Worden vs. Hoyt.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held by G. S. Bedford, Jr., City Judge. Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos. 1—The People vs. James Reid, Thomas Early; perjury.
2—The Same vs. James Barnes; felonious assault and battery.
3—The Same vs. David Eato; felonious assault and battery.
4—The same vs. Henry Carrier; felonious assault and battery.
5—The Same vs. Patrick Riley; grand larceny from the person.
6—The Same vs. Christian J. Pfeiler; grand larceny from the person.
7—The Same vs. Same; larceny.
8—The Same vs. Same; larceny.

Nos. 9—The People vs. James Donaldson; larceny.
10—The Same vs. James Jones; larceny.
11—The Same vs. Margaret Spedding; larceny.
12—The Same vs. Fred'k Brasielow; larceny.
13—The Same vs. John McDonnell; larceny.
14—The Same vs. William McAlister, Frederick Maples; larceny.
15—The Same vs. Thomas Tweey, Robert Stonehouse; burglary.
16—The Same vs. Joseph Brown, James Smith, burglary.
17—The Same vs. John Carter, George Seymour; forgery.
18—The Same vs. John Bel; robbery.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

SUITS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT—ITS WAIVER OF EXEMPTION—SET OFF—PRIZE—JURISDICTION OF CLAIMS ARISING AFTER CAPTURE.

The Steamer Siren and Cargo and the Union Horseshoe Company vs. The United States and the Steamer Siren and Cargo, &c., Henry S. Beckett and others vs. The United States.—Appeal from the District Court for the District of Massachusetts. Mr. Justice FIELD delivered the opinion of the Court in substance as follows:

The steamer *Siren* was captured in the harbor of Charleston in attempting to violate the blockade of that port, on February 16, 1864. The steamer *Gladiolus*, belonging to the Navy of the United States, she was placed in charge of a prize-master and crew, and ordered to the port of Boston for adjudication. On her way she was obliged to put into the port of New-York for coal, and, in proceeding thence through the East River passage which leads to Long Island Sound, known as Hurl Gate, she ran into and sank the sloop *Harper*, loaded with iron, and bound from New-York to Providence, R. I. On the arrival of the steamer at Boston, a libel in prize was filed against her, and no claim having been presented, she was, in April following, condemned as a lawful prize and sold. The proceeds of the sale were deposited with the Assistant Treasurer of the United States, and in compliance with the act of Congress were paid over to the party entitled to the order of the Court. In these proceedings the owners of the sloop *Harper* and the owners of the cargo interposed by petition, claiming to have a lien upon the vessel and her proceeds for the damages sustained by the collision, and praying that their claim might be allowed and paid out of the proceeds, the District Court held that the intervening petitions could not be allowed, and dismissed the petitions for want of jurisdiction. The grounds of the decision of the United States tribunals, the correctness of which is now in question, are, first, that the libelants by their intervention would be, in substance, to enforce the claim against the vessel in her hands, which is asserted to be universally and under all circumstances repugnant to sound principles; and, second, that the libelants, so far as a claim upon a prize arises, have no jurisdiction, as it is well settled that jurisdiction of a prize court, while it is in full force, lasts only until the condemnation of prize or no prize. It is a familiar doctrine of the common law, that the Admiralty has no jurisdiction of prizes in the own courts of princes or states. The decision of this court upon questions of prize, it has been said, is in the own courts of princes or states. The decision of this court upon questions of prize, it has been said, would be hindered and the public safety endangered if the supreme authority could be subjected to suits at the instance of any citizen, and consequently controlled in the exercise of the judicial power of the tribunal required for the proper administration of the Government. The exemption from direct suit is therefore, without exception. This doctrine of the common law is fully applicable to the case of the United States. It is a fundamental principle of our jurisprudence that the United States, as a sovereign power, can not be sued in its own courts or in any other without their consent; and whoever institutes such a suit against the United States, in any court, violates the dignity of some part of Congress. Such is the language of this Court in United States vs. Clark, (2 Peters, 444.) The same exemption from judicial process extends to the property of the United States, and for the same reason; as justly observed by the learned Judge who tried this case, there is no distinction between suits against the Government directly and suits against the property of the United States. Although it can not be maintained against the United States or against their property, yet, when the United States institute a suit, they waive their exemption so far as to allow a recovery to be made against them, upon the law and equities, to the extent of the demand made or property only claimed, and when they proceed to run, they open to consideration all claims and equities in respect to the property libeled. They are equal in such proceedings, with reference to the rights of defendants or claimants, precisely as private suitors are, except that they are exempt from costs and from affirmative relief against them, beyond the demand in property or proceeds. In United States vs. Bradstreet, (8 Pet. 591,) a claim of the United States was barred by a set-off of a claim against the United States, but when an action is brought by the United States for the benefit of a party who has a legal claim against them, it would be a very rigid principle to deny to him the right of setting up such claim in a Court of justice, and turn him round to an application to Congress. So in United States vs. MacDaniel, (7 Pet. 1,) to which reference is made in the case cited, the defendants was allowed to set off against the demand of the Government a claim for services as surgeon for the payment of the navy pension fund, to which the Court held he was equitably entitled. The question said the Court, was whether the defendant should surrender the money, which happened to be in his hands and then petition Congress on the subject, and it was held that the Government had no right, legal or equitable, to the money. In the case of the steamer *Siren* the collision of vessels, as was a claim is asserted against the vessel in fault in favor of the injured party. This claim may be enforced in the admiralty by a proceeding against the vessel, when the owner of the property of the United States, in such case the claim either equally as if the vessel belonged to a private citizen, but for reasons of public policy already stated, the Government is not liable to be sued in rem against the vessel. It stands in that respect like a claim against the Government, incapable of enforcement without its consent, and unavailable for any purpose. The opinion here expressed is in unison with the decisions of the United States, in view of the fact that the liability to enforce the claim against the vessel is not inconsistent with its existence; and it is then said, "The owners of property which happened to be in the

[illegible] Extra State, the export, at $6@$6 25 ⅌ bbl. We quote:
Superfine State and Western.....$4 [illegible]
Extra State.....$6 [illegible]
Extra Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, &c.....$6 [illegible]
Extra Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, &c.....$6 [illegible]
Extra Ohio, trade and family brands.....$6 [illegible]
Extra Genesee.....$6 [illegible]
Common to Fancy in Extra Missouri.....$6 [illegible]
Extra Southern, mixed to choice.....$6 [illegible]
Corn meal to Fancy in Extra Missouri.....$6 [illegible]
Rye flour is dull, but without quotable change, and heavy sales have been reported since our last of 300 bbls., at $5@$6 for very poor to fair ordinary, and $7@$8 25 for fair ordinary to very superior. Extra, $8 [illegible] bbl. California Flour continues inactive at $7@$8 for Extra, $6 [illegible] sales, 275 bbls. and sacks. Rye flour is in less request, at $4@$4 50 for very inferior to very choice. Corn meal is dull. Sales of 100 bbls. Brandywine at $4 [illegible]

GRAIN—Wheat has attracted less attention, and has been quoted of 1c.@2c. ⅌ bushel, closing quite [illegible]. Sales have been reported, since our last, of 40,000 bushels, including White Canada, in bond, at $1 [illegible]; Amber do., from $1 [illegible] in store; White Western, part at $1 [illegible]; Red and Amber do., at $1 [illegible]; in $1 [illegible]@$1 [illegible] for No. 1 Spring at $1 [illegible] afloat, and No. 2 do. at $1 [illegible] in elevator; Red Western, at $1 [illegible] in elevator, and $1 [illegible] delivered; the higher price having been realized only for a small lot. Rye is dull and heavy; sales of Western at $1 [illegible]@$1 [illegible] ⅌ bushel. Corn has been less sought after, and has been quoted lower, closing in favor of buyers. Sales have been reported since our last of 72,000 bushels, including 40,000 bushels at [illegible] for very new Mixed Western; 40c.@[illegible] for unsound Mixed Western; [illegible] for old Mixed Western, in store; [illegible] for old Mixed Western, delivered; [illegible] for Yellow Western; 85c. for Rejected; 81c. for Mixed Mixed Western; [illegible] for White Western, and 80c. for White Southern, afloat, ⅌ bushel. Rye, Barley, and Malt have been dull at about former rates. Oats have been quite lighter on a share selling basis. Sales have been reported since our last of 65,000 bushels Western at 75c.@76c., from deck and delivered, chiefly at 74c.@76c., delivered, ⅌ bushel. The export demand was light, though 120 bushels Western were taken for Havana, 7,000 bushels Wheat, 7,000 bushels Peas, and 243 bushels Corn. The Albany Argus says: "The boats that passed Fultonville, between noon on Saturday and noon on Monday, carried 11 loads of Coal, 22 loads of Lumber, 12 of Corn, 38 of Wheat, 6 of Oats, 1 of Stone, and 1 each of Beans, Salt, Staves, Cedar, Flour and Leather. List of boats which passed Fultonville during 48 hours prior to 1:40 P. M., May 24, 1869: Wheat—Wm. S. Bostick, Buffalo; Lok, Buffalo; Eddie, Rome; Amelia Conder, Buffalo; Wm. Walker, Buffalo; Anna Maria, Buffalo; J. C. Barrus, Buffalo; R. W. Clowes, Buffalo; Wm. A. Scholes, Buffalo; General Doubleday, Buffalo; John H. Reed, Buffalo; Frank Vogor, Buffalo; Ambrose, Buffalo; Amos Stacy, Buffalo; Montezuma, Buffalo; Wm. B. Douglas, Montreal; R. S. Wyckoff, Buffalo; George W. Adams, Buffalo; Onward, Buffalo; Lewis Seley, Buffalo; Chas. Bates, Buffalo; R. Steele, Oswego; Addie Bell, Buffalo; Alonzo, Buffalo; Lady, Buffalo; L. K. McKibben, Buffalo; Thomas Curren, Buffalo; Indiania, Oswego; J. C. Taber, Buffalo; Charles S. Page, Buffalo; C. M. Titus, Buffalo; Emma, Buffalo; M. E. Wetherbee, Buffalo.

Lumber and Shingles—Delia, Oswego; E. J. Tuttle, Buffalo; M. McDonald, Oswego; Blue Bird, Buffalo; Barney Bird, Buffalo; E. Kearsage, Corning; Nina G. Howe, Oswego; E. Bunnell, Buffalo; H. Walsh, Buffalo; John Gibney, Dansville; S. B. Frank, Oswego; John W. Beck, Buffalo; T. F. Hand, Buffalo; Emma Gay, Buffalo; John Fitzpatrick, Buffalo; Address, Franklin; Isaac Wright, Buffalo; M. J. Mulvey, Buffalo; Ellen Ohlif, Corning; Geo. Pope, Corning; D. A. Brown, Buffalo; Ezra Cole, Oswego; Ed. Monnt, Oswego; Ann Van Tassel, Oswego; Terrapin, Oswego; Edward Dorsa, Buffalo; Colfax, Buffalo; Emma Cole, Buffalo; Bill Morse, Buffalo; D. S. Warner, Buffalo; N. Field, Buffalo; Sarah, Buffalo.

Oak—Mathias Smith, Buffalo; Oliver Breed, Buffalo; American, Oswego; J. Bizallar, Buffalo; Alex. Kenrick, Buffalo; Cuvea, Buffalo; J. W. Bush, Buffalo; Hansel, Oswego; Frank Vogor, Buffalo; J. W. Elwell, Buffalo; Edward Wright, Buffalo; H. M. Fowler, Buffalo; Matilda, Buffalo; J. S. Gillespie, Buffalo.

Coal—Stephen Clinton, Geneva; General Herkimer, (Black Diamond,) Buffalo; Hoffman, A. Hemlep, Geneva; Ada, Geneva; J. D. Montague, Geneva; John M. Annis, Geneva; F. R. No. 16, Geneva; F. R. No. 6, Geneva; Butler, Geneva; W. P. Hinckley, (B. coal,) Geneva.

Rye—Eddie, Rome.

Wheat—Lockport, Buffalo; Colonel J. S. Smith, Syracuse.

Oats—Geo. Danism, Buffalo; Shamrock, Buffalo; M. Murray, Buffalo; Juno, Buffalo; Captain Levi Vallier, Buffalo; Chas. E. Upton, Buffalo.

Beans—L. C. Meyer, Rochester.

Lumber—J. Tanner, Buffalo.

Flour—P. G. Alvord, Rome.

Leather—P. G. Alvord, Rome.

Slate, &c.—Weckwerken, Rome.

Stone—Geo. Danism; Buffalo; Jennie Tubbs, Buffalo.

Salt—Hart Pierce, Syracuse.

Glass—Andrew Lansdale, Buffalo.

ASHES—Have been in fair request at from $6.[illegible] for shipping and $6.[illegible] 25 for Pots to Choice, for local use, ⅌ 100 lbs. Straw continues in demand at $[illegible] 10 for Long and Short, ⅌ 100 lbs.

BREADSTUFFS—Have been in moderate demand at steady prices, including American at 5c.@10c. for New, and 15c. [illegible] for Old, ⅌ lb. We quote in detail thus: New-York State, 5c.@10c.; Eastern, 5c.@8c.; Wisconsin, 5c.@[illegible]; Michigan, 5c.@[illegible]; Canadian, all grades, 5c.@[illegible], ⅌ lb. The receipts were [illegible] bbls.; export clearances, 150 bbls.

HIDES—The receipts week ending to-day have been 20,028 Hides and 285 bales do., including 12,000 hides including 3,700 Dry Buenos Ayres, 2,[illegible] lbs., 21c.@21½c., gold, selected; 2,600 Dry Buenos Ayres, Secondo, 21½c.@22½c. lbs., 17½c.@18c., gold, as they run; 4,200 Dry Corrientes, 21½c.@22½c., gold, selected; 2,400 Dry Corrientes, Secondo, 21½c.@22½c., gold, as they run; 800 Dry Corrientes Rips, 12 lbs., private terms; 1,000 Dry Cuba, 24½c.@25½c., gold, selected; 2,500 Dry Buenos, 20½c.@21½c., private terms; 300 Dry Slaughter, 19½ lbs., private terms; 300 Dry Sisal, 20 lbs., private terms; 1,400 Dry Mexican, 24½c.@25½c., gold, selected; 2,000 Texas, 25½c.@26½c., gold, as they run; 1,000 Dry Southern, 16 lbs., 20c., currency, as they run; 500 Dry Salted West Florida, (selection,) 40 lbs., 11½c., currency, as they run; 1,000 Dry Salted Texas, 45 lbs., private terms; 400 Dry Salted Mexican, 35 lbs., private terms; 500 Wet Salted Texas, 65 lbs., private terms; 3,700 City Slaughter, 60@70 lbs., 15c.@16½c., currency selected. Other sales include 1,000 Buenos Ayres, 10 hides, (same time last year, 147,300,) as follows: 75,100 Dry Buenos Ayres, 22,000 Dry Montevideo, 10,[illegible] Dry Rio Grande, 4,[illegible] Dry Rio Janeiro, 3,400 Dry California, 11,000 Dry Central America, 1,[illegible] Dry Porto Cabello, 10,000 Dry Habana, 800 Dry West India, 3,000 Dry Savanilla and Bogota, 11,000 Dry and Salted Mexican, 1,[illegible] Dry and Salted Texas, 11,[illegible] Dry and Salted Florida, 1,[illegible] Southern, 2,500 Wet Salted Buenos Ayres, 800 Dry California, 10 bales Calcutta Cow.

LEATHER—Sole has been actively sought after, and prices have hardened in the last week or two. We quote: Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, Heavy, 27c.@[illegible]; Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, Middle, 30½c.@[illegible]; Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, Light, 30c.@31½c.; Hemlock, California, Heavy, 30c.@[illegible]; Hemlock, California, Middle, 30c.@[illegible]; Hemlock, California, Light, 30c.@[illegible]; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., Heavy, 30c.@[illegible]; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., Middle, 30½c.@31½c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., Light, 30c.@31½c. Spanish Sole, 40c.@[illegible]; Damaged, all kinds and weights, 20c.@27c.; Hemlock, Damaged, all kinds and weights, 20c.@[illegible]; Hemlock, in the rough, 35c.@40c.; Oak Slaughter, Heavy, 35c.@[illegible]; Oak Slaughter, Cropped, Heavy, 40c.@[illegible]; Oak Slaughter, Cropped, Middle, 40c.@[illegible]; Oak Slaughter, Cropped, Light, 40c.@[illegible]; Oak Slaughter, in the rough, Heavy, 35c.@[illegible]; Oak Slaughter, in the rough, Middle, 30c.@[illegible]; Oak Slaughter, in the rough, Light, 30c.@[illegible]; Oak Slaughter, Damaged, 20c.@[illegible] ⅌ lb.

MOLASSES—Has been in fair request and firm. Sales have been reported of 350 hhds. Barbadoes at [illegible], and 350 hhds. Old and New Cuba Muscovado, duty paid, at 60c.@[illegible] ⅌ gallon. We quote: Old and New Porto Rico at 40c.@[illegible]; Cuba, at 35c.@[illegible]; New-Orleans at 70c.@[illegible] ⅌ gallon, and in detail thus:

	Old Crop.	New Crop.
Cuba Centrifugal and Mixed, ⅌ gallon	[illegible]	—@—
Cuba Clayed, ⅌ gallon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cuba Muscovado, refining grades, ⅌ gallon	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cuba Muscovado, inferior grades, ⅌ gallon	—@—	[illegible]
Porto Rico, ⅌ gallon	[illegible]	[illegible]
English Islands, ⅌ gallon	[illegible]	[illegible]
New-Orleans, ⅌ gallon	—@—	[illegible]

NAVAL STORES—Business has been limited to all articles in this line, though buyers have had any advantage in the market. The decline in gold, depression in foreign exchange, and increasing firmness in ocean freights, have operated against the export purchases. In Spirits Turpentine there has been a light jobbing trade noted on the basis of [illegible] 47c. for merchantable lots, ⅌ gallon, at which figures about 300 bbls. have changed hands. Only 50 bbls. Rosin have been cleared by the ship J. P. Wheeler, for Melbourne. Crude Turpentine has been neglected. Tar has been in slack demand, and weak in price. A small sale of Wilmington was reported at $3 [illegible] ⅌ bbl. There were 612 bbls. Tar cleared by the steamer Dorian, for Glasgow. Resin has been offered more freely, in part to arrive, at lower prices, but the demand has improved. We quote: Rosin, Common to Strained to Good Strained, there were buyers at $2 [illegible]@$2 [illegible]; while holders were generally asking $2.[illegible] for a single barrel. Window Glass, Common to Fair, reported sold at $2 [illegible], and some 300 bbls. Good Strained at $2 [illegible]@$3 [illegible]. Job lots of the finer grades were placed at slightly easier quotations. The receipts of Crude Turpentine for the week ending to-day have been 1,[illegible] bbls., including 800 bbls. by the bark Rosario, for Trieste, 341 bbls. by the ship J. P. Wheeler, for Melbourne, 194 bbls. by the steamer Dorian, for Glasgow, and 200 bbls. by bark Chola, for Leith. We have quoted Spirits Turpentine at 46c.@47c., chiefly at 46c., for merchantable, ⅌ gallon; Crude at $[illegible] for dip, and $[illegible] for virgin, ⅌ bbl. The latter sold for choice Virginia, ⅌ bbl., at $[illegible] for Pitch Pine.

OILS—Have been rather quiet, but quoted steady. We quote: Crude Whale, 35 [illegible]; Bleached Whale, 45 [illegible]; Bleached Winter Sperm, 2[illegible]; Unbleached Sperm, 2 [illegible]; Lard Oil, at $1 [illegible]@$1 [illegible]; Red Oil, at 90c.@[illegible]; Linseed Oil, chiefly at $[illegible] in casks and barrels; Olive, at $1 [illegible]@$1 [illegible] ⅌ gallon.

PETROLEUM—There has been less general activity in the market to-day, the transactions having resulted a fraction, indicated by the more liberal supplies available, the fall in gold, the heaviness in exchange and the buoyancy of freights for Crude, bulk, deals, and barrels. The market was depressed, the closing figures having been 14½c. ⅌ gallon, at which there were 60 bbls. reported sold. Refined was weak in price, yet in much less demand than yesterday, with sales, as the previous quotation, though many buyers were unwilling to bid over 30c. ⅌ gallon. Sales were reported of 1,[illegible] bbls. Refined, Nonpareil, of Crude, as stated yesterday here; 420 bbls. arrived at Philadelphia. There were no export clearances of Crude based to-day. The steadiness in the unsettled exchange market, coupled with smooth and bankers were obliged to make some further concessions in order to place their shortages. We quote: Crude, in bulk, at 14½c. ⅌ gallon; Crude, in barrels, at 17c.; Refined, free of duty, including 1,[illegible] bbls. Standard Water for immediate delivery, at 30½c.; 1,000 bbls. do. deliverable balance of the month, at 30½c.; 1,000 bbls. do. deliverable in June, at 30½c.; 1,000 bbls. do., less half of June delivery, at 31½c., and 2,000 bbls. do., deliverable in July 15, at 32c. ⅌ gallon. Also, at Philadelphia, 10,000 bbls. immediate, 1,000 bbls. June delivery, at 30½c.; 1,000 bbls. July, 1,000 bbls. do., June delivery, at 31c.; 1,000 bbls. do., July, August and September delivery, (on the mark, nominal,) at 32c.; 2,000 bbls. do., July or August, (on the mark, nominal,) at 32½c.; 1

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

In the Spanish Cortes, yesterday, a discussion occurred on the Cuban question. CASTELLAR declared that the outbreak would never have occurred had Spain followed the example of England toward Canada and granted the liberties which the colonies now claim; and SERRANO answered that DULCE had granted these liberties when he went to Cuba, but party spirit blinded some of the people to his intentions. When the trouble is over, SERRANO promised, slavery will be suppressed and persons engaged in the slave trade will be punished.

"Derby day," at the Epsom races, yesterday, called together a brilliant company, including the Prince and Princess of Wales, and numbering not less than a quarter of a million. *Pretender* was the winner of the Derby.

GENERAL.

The political campaign in Tennessee is becoming exciting. Governor BROWNLOW has announced himself in a newspaper card in favor of SENTER for Governor, and his friends are working hard for his election. In East Tennessee STOKES is remarkably strong, notwithstanding the bitter opposition of BROWNLOW and his party.

A stock train arrived at Worcester, Mass., on Tuesday from Albany, *en route* to Providence, loaded with Texas cattle, which were found to be in a most horrible condition; twenty-nine large bovines were found jammed into one car, two of which had apparently been dead for some time; two others were dying; others were down and unable to rise; while all were evidently starving and had apparently been without food or water for days. The cattle were unloaded, fed and exercised, and then put into fresh cars and set off on their way.

The trial of WILLIAM ROBINSON for the murder of General MURRAY MCCONNELL on the night of February last, at Jacksonville, Ill., has begun in that place, and is causing much excitement. It is alleged that the murder was the result of a quarrel about a note held by MCCONNELL against ROBINSON for $400. The prisoner is the son of a well-to-do farmer; was born in Lawrence, Ill.; has many friends, and has held positions of trust.

Mr. JOHN WHITE, a well-known and respected citizen of Cortland village, N. Y., committed suicide at his home in that place, on Sunday night last, by cutting the artery of his left arm. The reason for the act was financial embarrassment, caused by indorsing paper for others. He had given a mortgage on his house and lot to meet this. The mortgage became due on Monday, but it would not have troubled him, as his son had arranged that matter the Saturday before, unknown to his father, intending to give him a pleasant surprise when it fell due.

The members of the "Ladies' Union Aid Society," of St. Louis, have declined an invitation of the Grand Army of the Republic, of that City, to join them in decorating the soldiers' graves on the 30th, because they "deem it inconsistent, as Christian women, to take part in the ceremonies which are to be held on the Sabbath."

Canadians are emigrating in crowds to Kansas, and settling along the line of the Kansas Pacific Road. And a party of prominent railroad men and others, including General WYDHAM, Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's forces in British North America, are purchasing land in this far-we[illegible] for coming emigrants.

Three h[illegible] of choice California wine were received at Omaha, yesterday, by the first through freight train over the Pacific Road, one of which is directed to President GRANT, another to an Ex-Senator of California, and the third to Vice-President HUNTINGTON, of the Central Pacific Road. The wine is a present from the owner of the National Vineyard, located on the Pacific Railroad lands.

A large fire occurred in Mobile on Tuesday night, by which the stores of several prominent business firms were destroyed. Colonel L. T. WOODRUFF, President of the Board of Trade, lost his life, and two others were injured by falling walls. Colonel WOODRUFF'S funeral took place yesterday, and was the largest ever witnessed in Mobile.

At a meeting of the Union Pacific Railroad Company, held in Boston on Tuesday, Messrs. Oliver Ames, Benjamin E. Bates, both of Massachusetts; Sidney Dillon, of New-York; John Duff, of Massachusetts; C. H. McCormick, of New-York; Wm. T. Glidden, of Massachusetts; C. H. Bushnell, of Connecticut; F. G. Dexter, of Massachusetts; R. R. Hazard, of Rhode-Island; E. Atkins, O. A. Lambard, O. Chapman, E. H. Baker, John R. Duff and F. Nickerson, all of Massachusetts, were unanimously elected directors. The resignation of the Vice-President, Treasurer and Wm. H. MACY, director, were received. Yesterday the directors elected OLIVER AMES President, JOHN DUFF Vice-President, J. M. S. WILLIAMS Treasurer, and E. H. ROLLINS, of New-Hampshire, Secretary and Assistant Treasurer.

Lieutenant-General PHIL. SHERIDAN and the ex-rebel General BRECKENRIDGE were both in Cincinnati on Tuesday.

The eighty-sixth annual Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church Diocese of Maryland, convened at Grace Church in Baltimore, at noon yesterday, Bishop WHITTINGHAM presiding. The attendance of clerical and lay delegates was quite large.

The negroes in the tobacco factories at Lynchburg, Va., have struck for higher wages. The roll-makers have been getting $1 50 per hundred, which is equal to from $6 to $10 per week; they now demand $3 per hundred.

At the Woman's Suffrage Convention in Boston yesterday, letters were read from JOHN STUART MILL, Rev. ROBERT COLLYER, ANNA DICKINSON, GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS and others, sympathizing with the cause, and speeches were made by WENDELL PHILLIPS, RALPH WALDO EMERSON and a host of others. A resolution was offered by LUCY STONE, and adopted by the Convention, declaring that Mr. JULIAN'S proposed amendment to the Constitution, prohibiting political distinction on account of sex, would take precedence in Congress of any other national question of mere political expediency.

The trial of LOUIS LESSING at St. Paul, Minn., for the murder of his infant step-son, has ended, and the prisoner was convicted of murder in the second degree.

The steamer *Cora S.*, from Cincinnati to Arkansas River, with a valuable cargo, sunk on Tuesday morning at Fletcher's Landing, fifty miles above the mouth of the Arkansas River. The boat is a total loss. A portion of the cargo will probably be saved. Both are insured in Cincinnati offices. As far as known no lives were lost.

Mrs. ADKINS, the widow of JOSEPH ADKINS, the Georgia State Senator who was recently shot and killed in Columbia County, Ga., by some unknown person, has been arrested on the charge of being concerned in the murder of her husband.

The most important matter before the two Presbyterian Assemblies will come up at 10:30 A. M. to-day. The report of the Committees of Conference on Reunion will be brought forward in both the Brick Church and the Church of the Covenant at the same moment.

The Metropolitan Board of Health met yesterday afternoon, and transacted a great deal of business of comparatively trivial importance to the public.

The weather yesterday was excessively warm, but was rendered more pleasant late in the afternoon by a refreshing shower of rain, which was preceded by violent gusts of wind, causing ludicrous consternation among pedestrians and street venders.

In noticing last week the removal of the "West Houston-street Home" to its improved quarters in Fourth-street, the reporters inadvertently stated that it was the "Midnight Mission" that had so removed. As this error is calculated to create some confusion in the public mind in regard to organizations which, though having somewhat similar spheres of labor, are by no means identical, the directors of the Society last mentioned desire that the error should be corrected.

The new ship *Charles H. Marshall*, 2,000 tons measurement, was launched yesterday morning from the yard of WM. H. WEBB. She is intended for the Liverpool Black Ball line.

SCOTT & MUNSON, the absconding Wall-street grain merchants, have swindled to a larger extent than was at first reported, their total fraudulent transactions amounting to $91,000. THOMAS SEAMEN, Mr. VAN NOSTRAND, J. W. MOTT and the Guarantee Indemnity Company are represented to be the heaviest sufferers.

The yearly meeting of the Hicksite Friends concluded yesterday, but a special meeting was held in the evening for the discussion of First Day Schools.

The Metropolitan Board of Excise held a meeting yesterday, and revoked four licenses of dealers who had violated the law. The rates of license were materially modified, upon recommendation of the Committee on Applications.

The Commissioners of Emigration met last evening. Several communications were read from the Sanitary Superintendent of the Board of Health, urging the necessity of examining all emigrants who may arrive. They were tabled. A discussion arose as to the propriety of landing and expediting emigrants on Sunday. That question was also tabled.

Miss KATE FISHER, the well-known actress, was arraigned yesterday before Justice BRANDLEY on a charge of stealing a watch and chain. She gave bail to appear for examination.

The Hansom Cab Company commenced receiving subscriptions at the office of DUNCAN, SHERMAN & Co., and at No. 128 Water-street yesterday.

Cotton closed dull and heavy yesterday. Flour, Wheat, Corn and Oats were more freely offered at easier prices, and were generally in moderate request. Provisions were quiet; Pork, Lard and Cut Meats closed in favor of purchasers. Groceries same. Petroleum moderately active, but lower. Naval Stores depressed, and generally cheaper. Freights again firmer, with a fair business reported.

Perils of England—Indifference of the Working Classes.

The outburst of national feeling which was provoked in England by Senator SUMNER'S speech on the *Alabama* claims, furnishes some curious matter for reflection. The indignation which was suddenly proclaimed by the most important organs of the English Press seems to be quite out of proportion to the occasion. Mr. SUMNER is not, after all, the American people. He is not even an officer of the Administration, whose words are entitled to extraordinary weight. There was, therefore, no urgent cause for that prompt defiance which England sent across the ocean. The excitement and snappishness which she has displayed must be traced to some source for which Americans cannot be held responsible. It arises from her own consciousness of her declining influence and power, and from her eagerness to let the world see that she has still some of her ancient spirit left in her. An English contemporary inadvertently acknowledged this in its article on Mr. SUMNER'S speech: "If France," it argued, "had been scolded by Prussia as England has been by the United States, and had tamely submitted to it, every one would have said that France was afraid. And they would have been quite right." The inference from this illustration was that England must really make a show of being ready to fight, or she will consent to be put back from the first into the third or fourth rank among nations.

The influence of these considerations is at the bottom of that irritability which observers of English affairs must have noticed of late. England is self-distrustful. How far that may affect her intercourse with ourselves we are not now discussing. But there are many reasons why Englishmen should take to heart the truth, that they are no longer what they were in comparison with the rest of the world, and that it is all but impossible they can ever regain their former position. Whether they choose to acknowledge it in as many words or not, the national spirit which makes Empires flourish is dying out among the bulk of the people. The pressure of poverty destroys in time nearly all affections, and deadens every emotion. Love of country can with difficulty survive in the hearts of men who toil ten or twelve hours a day without being able to keep a home over the heads of their children, who are unable to teach those children to read or write, and who are told by the Government that the best thing they can do is to take themselves off to some foreign land. This kind of wretchedness is no new thing in England, but its causes are now better understood by the sufferers than ever they were before. Various motives have impelled men of more or less ability to come forward as "champions of the people," to explain to them the effects of class rule, to point out the injurious tendency of the accumulation of immense estates in a few hands, and to enforce the principle that property acquired to the injury of the general community ought in some way to be alienated. Sometimes the popular leaders have taught more than they intended. But when the seed had once left their hands they could not decide where or in what measure it should spring up. A spirit of profound dissatisfaction has been disseminated throughout England. It is something worse than mere discontent in Ireland, and that particular ulcer weakens the vitality of the whole people. But even in England proper the gloomy sorrows of poverty are sapping the foundations of national life. The wealthy classes may ignore this, but the fact remains, and the rest of the world can see it plainly enough. Those who were once denounced as "mischievous demagogues," have shown that they are more powerful than great statesmen. Their reiterated assertions have convinced the "lower classes" that England is very seriously misgoverned, and that in other countries the people obtain that justice which has been denied to them. A conviction of this kind does not foster patriotism.

The journalists of England have made a great show of love of country of late, but who has heard the real voice of the people amid the din? COBBETT long ago declared that no English ruler would ever be able to make a war with the United States popular. Although public writers may raise a warlike clamor, after the Chinese fashion, by violent beatings, flourishings and uproar, we cannot help perceiving that the bulk of the nation are silent and indifferent. The workingmen have held no meetings. They seem, in truth, to take the smallest possible interest in any of the questions which concern their country, either in its domestic or foreign relations. A writer in *Blackwood's Magazine* deplores this coldness in a melancholy vein. "The nation itself," he says, "appears to have become so apathetic, there is such an entire absence of interest in matters which our forefathers, and even we ourselves, used to regard in other days as of the deepest possible importance, that we feel ourselves incapable of arriving at any other conclusion than that the revolution has fairly begun." The writer truly represents the mental state of his countrymen, even if his conclusion be open to question. Perhaps there never was a time when so many momentous issues were depending in England, and yet when the public mind was so impassive. The truth, we think, is that the people are half paralyzed by their own social troubles. Ireland is a spectre which is constantly springing up to scare them in their path. Everywhere the unemployed are crying out for relief. One person in every thirty-six is a pauper—in itself a most startling and alarming fact. And a Liberal Government, from which so much was hoped, sits with its hands folded in face of this great problem. Is it any wonder that the people are unconcerned about questions which trained politicians think extremely interesting?

We have before observed, in relation to this very subject, that it would be a mistake to suppose that nothing could rouse the English people to nervous and energetic action. We do not believe that they are prepared to look sluggishly on while their Empire is dismembered in the manner so often recommended by Senator CHANDLER. England will fight if she finds it necessary. But it will take a great deal more to convince her that it is necessary to fight, than was the case in former times, and her rulers will make a terrible mistake if they fail to take into account the change which has occurred in the disposition of the people. There seems to be only one man in England who can absolutely sway the masses, and that man is JOHN BRIGHT. Much of Mr. GLADSTONE'S popularity is *reflected*—he owes it to the tenacity with which he clings to the skirts of Mr BRIGHT. We all know in what direction the influence of the great Radical tends. To express it in very inadequate language, he has made his country less a fighting nation than it was before. Above all, he has impressed upon the minds of the working classes the truth that when England is in danger they are called upon to save her, but when she is out of her peril they are sent away empty-handed. "Why should you fight with your kinsmen across the Atlantic to please the class which has ground you down to the earth?" In different forms he has put this question over and over again, and the people have well pondered it. When the public writers and the politicians generally see those things they are stung into protest. They cry out eagerly, "Take care! we are still capable of going to war, and with a little more provocation we shall certainly do it. True, we have Ireland upon our hands; half our army are Irishmen, and the moment war was declared we might find ourselves surrounded with a sea of troubles. Our strength is scattered, and we are not united in heart or purpose. But if you hit us, we can hit back again." The people listen to all this, and send up no response. They are ominously silent. The enemies of England might possibly presume too much upon this, but the rulers of England are certainly thinking too little of it. "When the pressure comes," they say, "the people will come out as warmly as ever in defence of their country." But even the men who say this are obliged to admit that the fact has never before required so many blows before a spark would come.

A Lesson in Bank Management.

The Atlantic Bank revelation throws a somewhat unpleasant light upon an important question of bank management. Until the other day the Atlantic commanded the entire confidence of the people of Brooklyn. It was believed to be not only sound, but prosperous. The directors shared the popular opinion. They supposed the capital to be intact, with a handsome surplus available for the two-fold purposes of reserve and dividend. These ideas have been suddenly dispelled. A melancholy accident removed the President, and some investigation into the position of affairs being thus necessitated, the real condition of the institution was brought to view. It was then discovered that there is not an available surplus, and that the capital has suffered serious diminution. The cause of the deficit is ascribed by newspaper report (1) to a large excess of credit accorded to a contractor; (2) to advances made to the same person on inadequate securities; (3) to the misuse of bank funds in the purchase of real estate on the private account of the President. Of these advances and appropriations the directors were ignorant. They appear to have been the work of the President, in the exercise of authority vested in him.

A plain and practical inquiry at once arises: What are the limits of a President's power in dealing with the funds of the bank? What are the duties, and what the labors of directors, in relation to the President and the current business of the bank? If the chief executive is absolute in his authority, determining alone what credits shall be given and what securities accepted, the Atlantic exposure tells nothing particularly surprising. It certainly affects the character of the President for sagacity, and may possibly impugn his integrity; but after all it implies no usurpation of power. On the other hand, if the directors systematically revise the action of the bank officers, keep themselves posted in regard to the bank's affairs, hold in check the credit-granting power, note the standing and transactions of their customers, and the nature and value of the securities they deposit—the story of the Atlantic Bank is not quite intelligible. For on this hypothesis the directors should have known before of the large advances now complained of, and were therefore remiss in the performance of the duties belonging to their position.

The matter is one that needs clearing up. The Atlantic Bank invests it with a fresher interest, but the defect in management which it exemplifies suggests similar inquiries with reference to banks generally. We know that each bank has its President and board of directors, but the Brooklyn incident shows that their relative powers and duties are not as fully understood as they ought to be. Theoretically, the course of business seems clear. The directors of a bank, as of every monetary institution, are the main reliance of the public. They are supposed to know, in general terms, what credits are given and on what conditions, what accounts are largely overdrawn and why so, what heavy loans are made and for what purpose. The details of the business they cannot hope to follow closely; but with that general course of affairs which affects the reserve, and even the stock capital of the institution, they are presumed to be acquainted. If large advances are made, or large credits given, they should know the cause. If losses are experienced, they should be in the way of understanding their source and devising the remedial measures which they render expedient. If, as in the case of the Atlantic, more than a quarter of the capital is absorbed, they are the last men who should be able to plead ignorance of the event. According to this estimate of the directors' functions, a President is merely their chief colaborer. His capacity and standing, the confidence felt in his character, and the knowledge both of finance and men which he should possess, remove him from the ordinary category of servants; but even these circumstances do not constitute him master of the bank, or the unchecked administrator of its funds. The proper theory of management is reversed unless he be required periodically to lay before the board applications for large credits, or the circumstances under which exceptional accommodation may have been given.

How far the practice of the Atlantic Bank has differed from this theory, the public have yet to be informed. Essential deviations there must have been, or the directors and shareholders would not have found themselves in their present dilemma. The tendency in all similar institutions is toward the one-man power—a power, perhaps, that best comports with fondness for displays of vigor, but one that is pregnant with peril to whatever is in a large degree dependant on public confidence.

Military Parades.

Park-row is honored with being the starting-point for half a dozen different lines of horse-cars. It contains four parallel tracks, besides two cross-tracks, and is none the less a thoroughfare for all sorts of wheeled vehicles. Nevertheless, its proximity to the City Hall Park makes it a favorite marching-route for the militia, and accordingly, last evening, on occasion of the parade of the Fourth Brigade, we had the usual animated contest between the militia and the car-drivers for the right of way. The former succeeded, as usual, in establishing a temporary blockade, and, by actual count, between fifty and sixty cars were caught in it. How many people were also unpleasantly blocked in their expectations of taking the afternoon trains from the up-town depots, we do not pretend to say; but the great point of the whole matter is this, that after having struggled by degrees through Park-row, and into the Park, the column executed the same marching manœuvre *inside* of the Park, parallel with the street. The question arises, therefore, whether, in future, processions to be reviewed in front of the City Hall cannot enter at some other point, march within the railings, and so avoid Park-row? The confusion and detention of the present custom are so annoying to the spirit of travelers as it is, for example, to their cars, to have ten full bands, within ten rods, playing ten different tunes at maximum lung and biceps power.

Butler's Philosophy of War.

The cost of war is understood. The profitableness of foreign war, especially with Great Britain, Mr. BUTLER undertakes to prove. His great argument is that "it would stop importations." To bring about this result he is anxious to issue a proclamation of non-intercourse. That would produce the blessing he covets. Importations from our largest customer will then cease, and untold prosperity will immediately crown all branches of home industry.

This is the idea as Mr. BUTLER presents it. But in this shape it is too imperfect to be satisfactory, and we anxiously await its more complete development. The stoppage of importations we can understand. But the consequences of the stoppage—will not Mr. BUTLER explain what they would be? What does he propose to do with the enormous surplus products of our land, a very large proportion of which now find their way into British markets? How does he propose to reconcile the Western farmers to the losses and inconveniences which the closing of foreign markets will entail? Then there are the public creditors—how does Mr. BUTLER propose to take care of them? They are paid gold interest, and the gold reaches the Government in the shape of duties upon importations. "Stop the importations" and how will the Treasury get its gold? And without gold, how will the Treasury keep faith with the national creditor? Still again, how does Mr. BUTLER propose to reconcile Mr. BOUTWELL to the collapse of *his* policy?

These are a few of the many inquiries which Mr. BUTLER'S theory suggests. We trust that they are not wholly unworthy of his attention. His willingness to undertake another war is heroic. The philosophy of his method of coercing Britain is profound. But there are practical difficulties in the way which seem to need a little explanation.

Honoring our Fallen Soldiers.

The Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic have issued an address, announcing to the public that they adhere to their original purpose of setting apart *Sunday* next as the day for decorating the graves of the fallen Union soldiers with flowers; and they call for contributions in aid of this praiseworthy object. In regard to the protest that has been made in various quarters against devoting *Sunday* to this purpose, they say they think due consideration has not been given to the "simple and sacred nature of the ceremony." They add:

"We feel that the pious act of strewing flowers upon the graves of our departed comrades, who died to make the nation worthy of a Christian Sabbath, and of all other blessings, is a sanctifying rather than a desecrating act, and that its influence as a custom, annually recurring, will be to refine and elevate those who observe it in the spirit of its conception."

This is an entire misstatement of the point at issue. No objection has been made in any quarter to the simple ceremony of strewing the graves with flowers,—nor is this, by any means, the whole of the performance described by the Committee as being so simple and sacred. The day will be given up to a grand muster, parade and procession through our streets of all the military of the City. Bands of music will accompany the procession, and the whole affair will be marked by all the noise and commotion which are inseparable from such occasions. It is against *this*, and not at all against decorating the graves of the soldiers, that the religious portion of our people protest. They regard it as in violation of their rights, a gross disregard of the laws of the State, and a needless and ostentatious defiance of the moral and religious sentiment of the community. No good reason has been given in any quarter for having this parade on Sunday, rather than on Saturday; and while the attendant crowd will doubtless be larger, it will not contain a large portion of our citizens whose sympathy and aid are greatly to be desired.

The French Elections—Napoleon's Danger.

Whatever may be the result of the French elections now in progress, as affecting the actual numerical strength of the Opposition in the Corps Legislatif, there can be no doubt as to the immense importance to Imperial interests of the manifestations of popular feeling for which they have been the occasion. There seems still to be some considerable discrepancy in the accounts which reach us, as to the exact number of elections completed, and the number of each party returned—owing, in all probability, to the complicated provisions of the French electoral system which render a certain majority of votes necessary to election, the election not to be deemed valid unless that majority is attained. But it is clear that the Opposition are gaining numerically, and as under the existing system it is really a matter for wonder that any Opposition candidates whatever can get returned, the fact is significant. But the real import of the elections is to be sought in the violent outburts of hostility toward the Imperial *régime*, which has marked the preliminary canvas—if such it can be called—in all the great cities of France. The laws prohibiting political meetings have been evaded by an adroit device, worthy of French ingenuity, and fully justified by the exigencies of the situation. Hundreds of the most implacable opponents of the Government in Paris have formally announced themselves as candidates, not with the intention of seriously attempting to attain a seat in the Chamber, but with the object merely of acquiring a right to address electors in public assemblages. Once acquired, however, they seem to have used it with great effect. The Emperor has always displayed the most jealous dread of anything like free political discussion, and evidently not without reason. When we hear of actual rioting in Paris, of bands of workmen singing the *Marseillaise*, and of other open demonstrations of hostility toward the Government, it is clear that discontent is becoming both general and dangerous.

It is scarcely time yet to form an opinion as to the probable issue of the crisis through which France is now passing. As yet there is no telling how far the local disturbances of which we hear, may or may not be the result of that hackneyed Napoleonic policy of deliberately exciting the revolutionary element of society into excesses in order to alarm the steady, trading, property-owning classes, and induce them to look to the Imperial Government as their only possible protector against *sans culotte* violence and anarchy. But it certainly seems at present as if there were a good deal of genuine popular discontent, of an intense and widespread aversion to personal and irresponsible government throughout the urban population of France. The Emperor has done all that he could to conciliate the working class, and yet they are his most dangerous enemies. He has made Paris beyond all comparison the most beautiful city in the world, and yet it is in Paris that the most uncompromising members of the Opposition are regarded as popular heroes. So far, at least, the Imperial Government has proved a failure. Events march rapidly in France, and no Imperialist can look without anxiety on a political crisis in which, even if the enemies of the Empire should not gain numerical strength, they at least display greater confidence in their cause, and manifest their discontent with greater audacity than ever—and that after twenty years of Napoleonic rule.

MINOR TOPICS.

The launch of a first-class ship from an American ship-yard, with the American flag flying from the maintopgallant, is a rare incident nowadays. But it took place yesterday from WEBB'S yard in this City. We were glad to see it, and should have been still more pleased if she had been built of iron instead of live-oak, and propelled by steam instead of wind.

A strong effort will be made, when Congress meets in December next, to secure the removal of GEORGE BANCROFT and GEORGE P. MARSH, our Ministers at Berlin and Florence. There is no charge of incompetency, or dereliction of duty; but there are prominent politicians disappointed thus far in their expectations, who would like to get their places.

Gold got below 140 yesterday, and remained below it till the close of the day. The fluctuations of the last few weeks, which have covered fully *fifteen* points, have given rich results to a portion of the speculators, while to many others they have brought grievous loss, bankruptcy and ruin.

We learn that there is a scheme on foot in Rhode Island to get the Legislature to pass a resolution requesting Senator SPRAGUE to resign. Messrs. BROWN and IVES are supposed to be at the bottom of the movement, but it is strongly backed up by Captain GODDARD, General BURNSIDE, the new Mayor of Providence, the First Rhode Island Regiment and all their friends. There is no doubt that these parties can make a great show in the Legislature, which has just begun its sessions; but it will be no use, for Senator SPRAGUE, who was reelected only a few months ago, is determined to die rather than surrender.

If WHITING, or whoever is responsible for not sweeping the streets nowadays, could at his convenience raise such a whirlwind as swept over the City and swept the streets yesterday afternoon, he might draw his money and give himself no further trouble. The heavy rain-fall which followed the sirocco washed down things nicely, and the City this morning ought to be as "clean as a new pin."

We do not see that a Minister from this Government to Paraguay can be of any great service to either country at the present time. LOPEZ, the President, though still at the head of a small force, is a fugitive, while his capital and a good part of his territory is in the hands of the Brazilians, and the whole country is helpless, powerless and exhausted. Wherever General MCMAHON may have been for the last three or four months, we cannot imagine that it is in his power to render any service to our Government; and if his recall has been determined upon, there is no use in sending General JOHN COCHRANE as his successor until things are somewhat settled. We are desirous that a place should be found for General COCHRANE, but we should think it possible to find some other place than Paraguay.

We do not know that the defeat of M. THIERS, in his attempt to obtain reflection to the Corps Legislatif is to be regretted by the friends of French liberty. For knowledge and experience in State affairs, there is no man in France, unless it be GUIZOT, who can bear comparison with him, and his talents would do honor to any legislative body in the world. But in the treatment of the affairs of modern Europe he has shown himself an incorrigible "old fogy," learning little and forgetting less. He has persistently opposed Italian unity, has with equal persistence opposed the unity of Germany, has upheld the Napoleonic policy regarding Rome, has advocated war with Prussia, and, in all the external relations of France, has upheld measures of retrogression and opposed progress or change. We do not suppose NAPOLEON will care anything about his defeat, for, though he is unquestionably an Orleanist at heart, there was never any danger of his causing any trouble in that direction.

It is pleasing to hear that it has at last been determined to give an office to Mrs. Dr. MARY WALKER, who has been besieging all the Departments and tormenting all the functionaries in Washington for a month past. It is reported that the Doctress,—who wears pantaloons and carries a cane,—is to get a Government appointment in Alaska. If she is sent there immediately and kept there permanently, it will be fortunate for Alaska, even though the Washingtonians may suffer.

The old Highland Regiment, the Seventy-ninth, paraded yesterday along with the other regiments of the brigade to which it belongs. We are sorry to see that this regiment has discarded the *kilt*, and the whole of the picturesque "garb of old Gaul" which used to make such a fine spectacle for our citizens on gala days.

The *Moniteur* is not now the "official journal of the French Empire," as it was for many years, till the beginning of the present year. Until recently every word in its columns was the authorized official expression of the French Government, and, as such, received the highest consideration. The official organship has now been assigned to another paper; and we receive the news of the Monitor on the same terms that we would the news of any other journal. Hence the intelligence it has reported that France and Italy have completed an arrangement for the evacuation of Rome by the French troops in September, does not come with any authority derived from its position. But the *Moniteur* is an unusually well-informed journal, and its announcements are always deserving of respect. At first sight it may seem strange that France should assent to withdraw her Roman contingent just before the assembling of the Ecumenical Council in December next. But then the very fact of the assemblage of this Council gives assurance to the Pope and to all concerned, that there will be no attack upon his authority, or upon the peace of the Holy City, during the period of its sessions. For this time, at least, the Italian Government itself would assure Rome against any menace from the Garibaldians, and would itself refrain from any menace of the Roman territory. The temporal authority could never be more secure than during the sessions of the Council, and the Pope might be quite willing to show to the congregated dignitaries of the Catholic world that he ruled by his own right, and was maintained by his own power. On these considerations, therefore, we think it quite probable that the French evacuation of Rome may at last be at hand.

New-York wants a thousand things, and will yet have them, but not in a hurry, her motto in many things being that of the *Onslow* family—"Festina lentè." We shall have our public baths in time, and meanwhile must keep them in the minds of the people. Colonel BATTERSBY'S meeting at St. John's Church the other evening helped to agitate the subject, and show its vital interest to a dense and increasing population like ours. Free bathing-places might be conveniently made in the basements of large buildings applied to other uses in crowded localities.

It seems to be a mistake to suppose that Senator SPRAGUE is "inactive on his steed," or dead to the needs of the crisis. If he withdraws, it is only, according to the proverb, to spring the better. At the Reform League meeting, a day or two since at Boston—in which that city maintained its old pretension of being in the van of reform—a letter from the Senator was read, in which he said he meant "to give such a clear picture of the present downward course of all our interests, and, at the same time, furnish the remedy, that all who hear him will understand, and go to work right." This is cheering, but it strikes us nevertheless with a doubt. He will probably present *his* panacea; but as to making everybody understand it and go to work upon it—that will be the difficulty in all likelihood.

AMUSEMENTS.

Musical.

Lasting prosperity shines upon no public entertainment with which the name of Mr. J. FISK, Jr., is associated. Even "Lurline," a most agreeable opera and an entire novelty, produced with an unusual profusion of scenic splendors and with considerable attention to artistic detail, has failed to realize the expectations of the management, and has been withdrawn before its character and value were fairly understood by one-half of the musical community. We can only hope for its revival at some more propitious season, and under more favorable auspices.

The performances of the French opera company, at the Fifth-avenue Theatre, are drawing to a close. Mlle. TOSTEE, the most characteristic artist of the troupe, without whose personal gifts, and, no doubt, without whose personal audacities, no real success would ever have been attained, will appear but three times more in this country. Her admirers will take advantage of this announcement to assure her that her popularity remains undiminished to the end. She repeats to-night her personation of *Boulotte*, in "Barbe-Bleue," which, as any observer of the different styles of the two ladies might have supposed, is a far more humorous piece of acting than that of Mlle. IRMA, and is manifestly inferior as a vocal performance. The representations of "Les Dragons de Villars" continue, and, although the cast has been weakened in an important particular, are still received with many demonstrations of pleasure.

At the French Theatre Mr. GRAU commences a closing season of opera bouffe on Saturday evening next. The chief feature of his brief series of entertainments will be the production, next Tuesday, of HERVE'S "Chilpéric," with a cast including almost every important member of his company. The mise-en-scene, we are assured, will exhibit all the brilliancy for which Mr. GRAU has made the French Theatre justly celebrated. For Saturday and Monday nights, "La Vie Parisienne" will be produced.

To-night, at Plymouth Church, in Brooklyn, where the mere force of habit seems to fill the house, the testimonial concert to Miss TORIJI, the young violinist, will take place. The programme is a very attractive one, comprising, besides the young lady herself, Mrs. JENNY KEMPTON, Miss THURSBY, MORGAN and JOHNSTON, the organists, ED. HOFFMANN, pianist, and the fine chorus of men's voices which has won for itself such a high place in the public estimation during the past Winter in the Madrigal and other concerts.

The fourth *soirée* of the New-York Conservatory of Music, this season, will take place at the hall of the institution, corner of Fourteenth-street and Fifth-avenue, this evening. Besides a number of the pupils of the institution, Mr. S. B. MILLS, Mr. J. B. POZNANSKI and other professionals will assist.

Dramatic.

The bill of the Waverley Theatre was changed last evening, and the numerous audience that occupied the house witnessed, in place of "Pygmalion," the play of "Ixion." The burlesque, which is a good one of its kind, needs at this late day no detailed reference. Characters, situations, dialogues and the perennial pleasantries whereof the perversity of John Bull and the eminence of the Executive are the lasting text, are the same as those of the work enacted at the up-town place of amusement, where the vanguard of the blondes first appeared. Its representation last night, cooperated in by Mr. FELIX ROGERS, who filled his original part of *Minerva*, by Miss JENNIE WILLIAMORE, the original *Ixion*, and by a strong company, just now made stronger by the accession of Mrs. SEDLEY BROWN, who embodies Jupiter, elicited a good deal of boisterous merriment and frequent applause. "Ixion" is to be repeated until further notice.

At the end of this week Mr. EDWIN BOOTH retires for a while from his beautiful theatre. His last appearance is announced for next Saturday afternoon, when he will play *Iago*, which appears to have been accepted as his most popular character. On Friday evening Miss MCVICKER will receive a benefit, appearing as *Desdemona*, and for the benefit of Mr. EDWIN ADAMS "The Lady of Lyons" will be produced next Monday.

"Caste" will presently be withdrawn from the bills of Wallack's Theatre, and the regular company be replaced by the clever "Lauri Troupe" of pantomimists.

The varied and lively performances nightly offered at the Empire City Rink attract vast numbers of those with whom light and merry music, brief displays of physical agility and boundless Summer space are popular. A special "gala" programme is announced for this evening, when music in vast quantity and not of altogether bad quality will be afforded. Likewise skating and drill exhibitions.

The Gates Literary Union gave its first entertainment, yesterday evening, at Grammar School No. 33. The large school-room was well filled with a fashionable audience. The exercises comprised orations, declamations and music.

WASHINGTON.

The Case of the "Gem of the Sea"—Remonstrance of the British Minister—Proposed Monument to Union Soldiers who Died in Southern Prisons—City Politics—Republican Nominations.

(Special Dispatches to the New-York Times.)

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, May 26.

Immediately after the seizure of the Gem of the Sea by the United States Marshal in New-York, Mr. THORNTON, British Minister, made a formal demand on the State Department for her surrender, on the ground that she was the property of a British subject, offering at the same time to go security for her until she reached Jamaica, for which a clearance was made out. Secretary Fish, on this state of facts, communicated with the Secretary of the Treasury, asking that the necessary orders for her release be issued. As the vessel had been regularly libeled by a court on formal charges, Secretary BOUTWELL was not entirely satisfied that he had jurisdiction in the premises, and determined to withhold action with a view of making it a subject of Cabinet consideration. He and Secretary FISH, however, had an interview this afternoon, when the whole subject was discussed. Mr. FISH was of the opinion that the libel of the vessel by the Court put the case beyond his control. The *Alabama* case established the right of American citizens to clear a vessel with the intent to sell her to any country that wanted her. Finally both Secretaries agreed not to release the Gem of the Sea, but allow her to be disposed of by the Courts.

MONUMENT TO UNION PRISONERS.

The Association of the Army and Navy Union Prisoners of this city, at a meeting last night, adopted resolutions that immediate measures be taken by the Association toward the building of a grand national monument to the memory of the thirty-five thousand prisoners who died in Southern prisons. Committees were appointed to carry out these intentions, and it was also resolved to petition Congress for the grant of a public square on Pennsylvania-avenue, in this city, on which to erect the proposed monument.

CUBA—ADMIRAL HOFF'S DISPATCHES.

The Secretary of the Navy expects some information from Admiral HOFF to-morrow relative to Cuba. The Admiral has not communicated with the Department in twelve days, and important dispatches are looked for the next steamer.

MASSACHUSETTS WAR CLAIMS.

The State of Massachusetts, through her agent, is contesting the charge to the State of some $65,000, which were disbursed by Comptroller BRODHEAD of the Treasury to pay the expenses of the Burkinghame Battalion to California, where they were mustered into the service. Mr. BRODHEAD says that the money was paid under the authority of Mr. STANTON, but the State is informed that the War Department had no cognizance whatever of it. The subject has been referred to Attorney-General HOAR for an opinion.

REMOVALS OF CLERKS.

Thirty removals of clerks were made in the pension office to-day, and there will be a still further reduction made in the Interior Department within a short time. The heads of the different bureaus, in obedience to orders of the different Secretaries, are making out lists of clerks whose services can be dispensed with after the 1st of July.

THE UTAH GENTILES.

The "Gentiles" of Utah have sent a delegation here to ask that measures may be taken for a general survey and sale of the lands of the Territory. They are dissatisfied with the rule of BRIGHAM YOUNG and of "the saints," who constitute a sort of landed aristocracy in the Territory.

THE MAXIMILIAN COLLECTION.

Among the valuable additions lately made to the Congressional Library are the volumes known as the Maximilian collection, which were recently sold at Leipzic.

MRS. DR. WALKER.

The female Bloomer physician is still in pursuit of office. To-day she made an assault on the War Department, but was unable to obtain admission to Secretary RAWLINS. Subsequently she attacked Mr. WALKER, Deputy Commissioner of Statistics, but failed to receive any comfort from him. The inevitable WILCOX, who champions woman's rights and wants to abolish all taxation, has resigned his clerkship in the Treasury.

LOCAL POLITICS.

The Republican Convention in this city to-day nominated an Irishman and a colored man for two important positions. The Irishman was nominated for the Surveyorship and the colored man for the Registership.

Dispatches to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, May 26.

THE DEPOSITORIES.

The National Currency Bank of New-York City has withdrawn its security as a financial agent of the United States and depository of public money. The Thames National Bank of Norwich, Conn., has been designated and has qualified as a United States Depository.

THE INDIAN COMMISSION.

The Indian Commission assembled this morning at the Indian Bureau, in company with Commissioner PARKER. It is expected they will remain in session several days, and before adjourning will agree upon the mode of operations, in connection with the plan of the Secretary of the Interior, for the better government and prosperity of the various Indian tribes. W. F. M. ARNY, formerly Acting Governor and Indian Agent in New-Mexico, will appear before the Commissioner to urge the plan heretofore recommended by him, namely, to place all Indian children, between the ages of ten and sixteen years, in industrial schools on all the reservations.

PERSONAL.

Keokuk, the chief of the Sac and Fox Indian tribes, called to see the President to-day, not knowing of his absence from the city. He subsequently paid his respects to Secretary BOUTWELL and the Secretary of the Interior.

Mr. CHITTENDEN, representing the Union Pacific Railroad Company, called on the Secretary to-day and had a consultation concerning the interests of that Company.

President GRANT and wife, and others who accompanied them to Annapolis, returned to Washington this evening.

A. R. CORBIN and bride, President GRANT's sister, arrived to-night and are stopping at the Executive mansion.

The letter in the London *Times* of the 11th inst., under the signature of "An American Citizen," respecting the *Alabama* Claims Treaty, and which has exercised a soothing influence in England, was communicated by United States Senator GRIMES, of Iowa.

Mr. OGDYKE, of New-York, and Secretary BOUTWELL had an interview to-day. The former did not come hither, as some newspapers have asserted, to remonstrate at the instance of the New-York bankers against the Secretary's financial policy.

NATIONAL BANKS.

Their Conversion Into State Banking Associations—The Enabling Act of the New-York Legislature—What Power the Legislature Has and what It Has Not—Opinion of the Attorney-General.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, May 26.

The following opinion has just been promulgated:

ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S OFFICE, May 15, 1869.

SIR: In your letter of April 6, 1869, transmitting a copy of a letter from the Comptroller of the Currency, of the same date, calling attention to his letter of Oct. 15, 1868, and referring to a letter of the late Secretary of the Treasury to my predecessor, of Oct. 16, 1868, you request my advice upon the points presented therewith, which have been carefully considered, and upon which I am now prepared to submit my opinion. The Comptroller states that in his letter of April 6th inst., that he is informed, and has reason to believe, that quite a number of national banks in the City and State of New-York, in order to avoid the restrictions and limitations imposed by the act of Congress, contemplate a return to the State system, under what they call the Enabling act, passed by the Legislature of that State for that purpose. And in his letter of Oct. 15, 1868, he states that the President and directors of the National Mechanics and Farmers' Bank of Albany, an institution organized under the act of Congress to provide a national currency, secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and provide for the circulation and redemption thereof, passed June 3, 1864, claim to have converted their bank into a State banking association, under the provision of an act passed by the Legislature of the State of New-York, April 20, 1865, entitled an act enabling national banking associations to become State banking associations, &c., and that by virtue of such conversions they get absolved from all allegiance and responsibility as a national bank to this office, and to the requirements of the acts of Congress. I am of the opinion that it is not within the power of the Legislature of New-York to alter, modify, add to or diminish the powers, duties or liabilities created in or conferred upon a banking association established under an act of Congress. The powers, privileges and duties of a corporate body are wholly derived from the sovereignty which gave it existence. The Legislature of New-York may undoubtedly incorporate or provide by law for the incorporation of banking associations in that State, but banking associations thus created are new and distinct bodies corporate, with which corporations deriving their existence from the United States cannot be merged or in any manner identified without the authority of Congress. Any lawful contract which a national banking association might make with a private person or with another corporation may undoubtedly be made with a corporation established by the State of New-York for banking purposes, and authorized by that State to enter into such a contract. On the dissolution of a national banking association in the manner provided by the laws, the property of such an association may be disposed of by its owners to any other parties competent by the local law to receive such transfer, so far as the restrictions, liabilities and duties imposed by act of Congress upon the corporation winding up its affairs will admit. But it seems to me that it is a misuse of language to say that the national banking association is in any sense changed into a banking corporation created by the laws of the State, or merged in it, and I can not perceive no power or authority existing in the Legislature of the State of New-York by which the property of the national corporation shall, by act of law, and without any conveyance or transfer, be vested in and become the property of such State banking association. The statute of New-York may, indeed, provide for the creation of a corporation clothed with the capacity to receive a transfer of property in such manner as the Legislature of that State may determine, and so far as its capacity to receive is concerned, the Legislature of that State has full control over the subject; but the creation of the capacity in the new corporation is an entirely different thing from the attempt to transfer from the national corporation its property. The powers and mode of action of the national corporation depend wholly upon the action of the National Legislature. I am further of opinion that when a national banking association has taken the proper measures for its own dissolution in conformity with its articles of association, and under the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1864, such dissolution is not complete until the necessary action has been had for the redemption of its circulating notes, either by actually redeeming them and surrendering them to the Comptroller of the Currency, or by depositing an amount of Treasury notes with him adequate to the redemption, as provided by that act, and that until these acts are completed the existence of the national banking association continues under the law, that its capital cannot be lawfully distributed among its shareholders or transferred to any other body corporate; that it remains subject under the supervision of the Comptroller of the Currency in the manner and to the extent prescribed by the act of Congress to the same extent as before its liquidation commenced; that it is still required to make regular and proper reports and returns of its condition to the Comptroller in the manner prescribed by the statute; that it is subject to the penalties which the statute provides for a failure to make such returns; that its obligation to keep its reserve of lawful money still continues; that its directors must still be the owners in good faith of the capital stock as the statute directs, and that it is unlawful to endanger the lien of the United States upon its assets by a transfer of them without other consideration than the formation of a new banking association by the same stockholders. It follows as a consequence that whatever remedies the act of Congress gives for a violation of its provisions may be pursued by the Comptroller of the Currency. Whether such a remedy is to be found in obtaining a decree of forfeiture and the appointment of a receiver, by a prosecution and collection of penalties, or by an injunction from a court of equity to restrain an act from which loss or danger to the rights of the United States may be reasonably apprehended, will depend, of course, upon the special facts of the case and upon the nature and extent of the violations of its corporate duty, which the national banking association undertaking to dissolve its corporate existence and liquidate its affairs, may be found to commit. I return herewith the papers transmitted. I have the honor to be, respectfully, your obedient servant,

E. R. HOAR, Attorney-General.

To Hon. GEORGE S. BOUTWELL, Secretary of the Treasury.

CUBA.

ARRIVAL OF THE BIENVILLE AND EAGLE.

The steamships *Bienville*, from Havana May 20, and *Eagle*, from Havana May 22, reached this port last evening. Purserz ALEXANDER and HEMPSTEAD have our thanks for the prompt delivery of our Cuban and Mexican letters and papers.

The Latest Proclamation of Cespedes—Cessation of the Revolution—The Contending Spanish Generals—The "Galvanic" Prisoners.

From Our Own Correspondent.

HAVANA, Saturday, May 22.

The list of Hayanus already so worthily represented by VALMASEDA, finds an additional member in CESPEDES, whom we need judge only by the following proclamation, issued on the 18th of February, five weeks previous to the issue of brute VALMASEDA's decree. The following is a translation of the original:

CARLOS MANUEL DE CESPEDES, President of the Republic of Cuba, &c., &c., decree: Article 1. Every prisoner who has taken up arms of his free will against the Republic, will be executed after the proclamation of this decree, irrespective of his nationality or responsibility.

2. The soldiers of the regular army, who may be taken prisoners, may expect such indulgence as they are entitled to under the circumstances.

3. The property of the enemies of our independence will be turned over to the Treasury of the nation, and will be cared for immediately to the best advantage of the Republic.

4. All soldiers who may join the forces of the Republic will be entitled to the same rights and privileges as those forming the armies of the Republic, and will retain the rank they held in the Spanish army.

5. As the present war of independence does not recognize any neutrals among the inhabitants of this island, as all those who are not with us will be considered enemies, any person who may allege neutrality will be judged and punished, taking into account the antecedents of the person and excepting foreigners, who have behaved as such since the beginning of the revolution.

6. Any person who may voluntarily render any service to the Spanish Government, or to any of its officials, of whatever kind the service may be, will be executed immediately after his capture.

Take heed and circulate this decree among the military authorities.

Given by Liberated, Headquarters at La Larga, 18th February, 1869, the second year of the independence.

C. M. DE CESPEDES.

The Chief of the Foreign Department, F. FORNARIS Y CESPEDES.

The Cubans excused this order just as the Spaniards excused that of VALMASEDA. Comments on either are altogether unnecessary; the proclamations speak for themselves, and any explanation would be superfluous. As to whether the Spaniards or Cubans commit the many crimes is a matter almost of indifference, when we remember that there are many Cubans among the Spanish soldiers, and many Spaniards fighting in the ranks of the insurgents. So far the mobilized volunteers on the Spanish side appear to have taken the lead in respect of cruelties.

Every resident of Havana, on meeting an acquaintance invariably asks, "How is the war going on and what is the news?" and as invariably receives the answer, "Bolas," and nothing more. The Spanish word *Bola* is the synonym of canard and means a ball. A canard or duck only flies but a ball rolls along and gathers the dirt on the road. The whole Cuban muddle may reasonably be termed a grand Bola, as we hear of nothing but inventions and denials. Both parties, that is to say the sympathizers of both parties in Havana, are becoming daily more confident of the ultimate success of their cause, the Spaniards declaring that the revolution is over, and the Cubans stating that they are in better condition and are daily improving. The confirmation of their respective assertions is completely wanting, as the revolution is not over, and is not likely to be, but the Cuban statement that they are increasing in number, &c., &c., is equally fallacious, because the results obtained by them are not visible. On the contrary, they must be growing weaker, as the Spaniards have undoubtedly succeeded in raising the siege of Puerto Principe and reestablishing railroad communication between that city and Nuevitas.

No big battles, where over two persons were killed, have been reported for a week; only skirmishes, in which the famous bruised soldier and the bicycles of the Spanish troops are mentioned, are on all sides. A big fight may therefore be expected in few days, and the city will be flooded with dead carcasses of tremendous engagements. The Spaniards are complaining bitterly about the want of patriotism among the higher officials commanding their troops, a letter from Manzanillo containing the fact by stating that the war in that vicinity would have been over long ago, were it not for the Spanish officers, who purposely prolong it in order to obtain promotion. This is truth, and this same neglect of the Spanish officials and their ambition to rise by every possible means, will give the Cubans not only all the time they may need to perfect themselves, and to receive arms and ammunition from foreign countries, but also reinforcements, and ultimately the possession of the island.

With all these drawbacks the Spaniards continue their blustering and praise about their chiefs, raising up a different idol every few days, and worshiping him until he gets stale, when some other man is hunted up and held up to admiration. Several heavy amounts are reported to have been sent to New-York to aid the Cuban Junta there to buy arms and charter steamers. These are needed, and nothing else, for men are in abundance, and over thirty thousand insurgents still hold the field. I do not mean to say there is such an army, but that number of men are ready to go to the field whenever there is any opportunity for them to do anything against the Spaniards, or whenever they can obtain the necessary arms and ammunition to fight with. From Cienfuegos southward, the entire country is in open rebellion; from that point northward there is profound peace, unbroken except by such fighting as is carried on with the tongue.

The *Galvanic's* prisoners were tried by a naval Court-martial on Tuesday evening. The captain and mate were sentenced to six years', and the passengers (all Cubans) to eight years' imprisonment. The *Galvanic* was captured some three months ago, while on her way from Nassau to the coast of Cuba. Previous to being boarded, she managed to throw the arms they carried overboard. The prisoners were judged Spanish fashion; that is, were not allowed to listen or to be present at the trial, or to hear or be informed of the testimony against them. When all were called up after the trial by the President of the Court-martial, and asked by him singly whether they had anything to add to the defence made for them, one young urban gentleman innocently asked, "What defence?" as he was not even aware of being accused of anything. Thereupon the President had to explain to him the whole case. The Court-martial was composed of seven naval officers, five of whom were native Cubans, who, by the way, are well represented in the Spanish navy. It is presumed that the prisoners will be sent to Spain, and pardoned after arrival there. The Captain and mate have already been delivered to the English Consul, who will send them to Nassau. QUASIMODO.

CAPTAIN MILLS' TRIAL.

Large Concourse of Politicians—The Eighth Ward Stirred to its Lowest Depths—Has a Member of the Force on Leave of Absence any Rights?

We give below particulars of the trial yesterday of Captain NATHANIEL R. MILLS before the full Board of Police Commissioners, Mr. MANIERRE presiding. Probably no case has ever drawn together so many ward politicians from various parts of the City. The representation from the Eighth Ward showed the intense interest existing in that locality. The reasons for this extraordinary interest need not here be detailed. They are familiar to the readers of the TIMES. The charge against Captain MILLS was that Captain MILLS violated a rule of the Department by engaging in a private business and selling tickets for a show in the town of Milford, Penn., he at the time being "on leave of absence."

The following affidavit, made on the 20th of May, forms the specification of the charge of improper conduct upon which Captain MILLS was tried:

Bloete M. Hagerty, residing at No. 100 Barclay-street, being duly sworn, says that on the 16th of April, at the town of Milford, Pike County, Penn., that on that day he paid a visit with his friend to Van Amburgh's Menagerie, or exhibition, at that place; that he purchased tickets from the office, which was in charge of Captain MILLS, of the Eighth Precinct, Metropolitan Police, was in the wagon, and sold deponent the tickets therefrom; that after the performance concluded, deponent purchased tickets from one of the men in the menagerie exhibition which was attached to said menagerie; that he (Mills) assisted in the management of animals, wagons, &c., during the procession about and through the village.

JOHN R. GRAHAM, Esq., conducted the case for Captain MILLS. *Mr. Edwin M. Hagerty*, residing at No. 7 South River Hotel, No. 100 Barclay-street, was the only witness for the prosecution. He testified that he was in Milford, Penn., on the 16th April, and while the tent for the menagerie was being erected he saw Captain Mills walking up and down the street in company with another gentleman; Milford was a little-place; they had fired place, and it struck witness as rather odd that a Captain of the Metropolitan Police should "show up" in that town; witness walked down to near the spot where the tent was going up, and Captain Mills left the gentleman (Mr. Kelley) in whose company he was seen and witness then asked the gentleman what Captain Mills was doing there—if he was on Police business; Mr. Kelley replied that he was not, that Captain Mills had been traveling with him for three or four days, and had shown him a lot of black-coat thieves and pickpockets, who had been following the menagerie; during the passage of the menagerie procession witness saw Captain Mills walking up and down the street, and when witness went to purchase tickets for himself and family, he saw Captain Mills in the ticket-wagon, which was stationed outside the entrance to the menagerie tent, selling tickets; witness purchased his tickets of the Captain; "It struck me as very ludicrous," continued witness, "that a Police Captain should be selling tickets; I did not know but he might have assumed from the force, having myself been absent from New-York some four or five days; in fact I telegraphed to New-York to ascertain if this was the case; when I returned to New-York, in relating the incident to some of my friends, among the rest was Judge Dowling, he advised me to make a charge against Captain Mills, which I did in the affidavit before you; I thought it was a strange way for a Captain of the Police to be employed! I did not know that he had leave of absence."

Cross-examined by Mr. Graham: Never spoke to Captain Mills except on one occasion; that was when he was Captain of the Broadway squad, some five or six years ago; had no animosity against the Captain; did not point him out at Milford and say "There goes Captain Mills, Captain of the Eighth Precinct Metropolitan Police, the son of a ——;" bought seven tickets of Captain Mills for the menagerie, and after the menagerie exhibition was over bought five and a half tickets of him at the same wagon for a side show in a smaller tent; saw other parties buy tickets of Captain Mills; did not buy them to entrap the Captain; did not send others to buy them for that purpose.

Q.—You have stated in your affidavit that Captain Mills "assisted in the management of animals, wagons, &c., during the procession in and about the village;" is that correct? A.—Yes, Sir.

Q.—What did he do that you call "assistance?" A.—In advising the driver where to drive.

Q.—How do you know he advised? A.—I saw him talking to the driver.

Q.—Do you know what he said? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—That was your inference? A.—Yes, Sir.

Q.—It might have been on any other subject? A.—He might have been talking politics.

Q.—While the procession was moving through the village, was he in this wagon? A.—No, Sir; he was on the street.

Q.—Walking up and down the street? A.—Yes, Sir.

Q.—How did he speak to the driver? A.—I did not hear the words—only gestures; the driver was moving along when he spoke to him.

Q.—Did you call the Sheriff of the County or any other village? A.—No, Sir. I saw Captain Mills, of the Eighth Precinct, selling tickets for a nigger show?" A.—I did not call the Sheriff; I called a Representative in Congress, Alex. Morton; do not think Captain Mills could have heard it; there was a crowd in front of the wagon; it was about ten or fifteen feet distant from Captain Mills; this took place in the latter part of the afternoon; about six or half past six o'clock; witness sent a telegram to Commissioner Brennan; did not telegraph, nor cause a telegram to be sent to Alderman Bristol.

Q.—Did you intimate to any of "the boys," as they are called, in this City, to come up and link Captain Mills, that they had a good chance? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Did you not telegraph to the City of New-York, stating that Captain Mills was up there and they had a good chance to do it? A.—I am not that kind of a man.

Q.—Did you say anything in the telegram about purchasing tickets from Captain Mills? A.—No, Sir; sent no telegram to New-York, except the one I have referred to, to Commissioner Brennan.

Q.—Did you not try to bring some person up there for the purpose of beating him? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Did you not meditate an assault upon him from some quarter. A.—No, Sir; this affair occurred Wednesday, the 16th of April; I returned to New-York the Saturday following.

(By Mr. James E. Kelly, one of the proprietors of the menagerie, testified that he was a personal friend of Captain Mills, and had known him many years; on Friday the 23d of April, witness was at Newburg, N. Y., and went to the Captain the following New-York: "I told him he could come up and see me and stay over Sunday—have citizen's dress. The company are here. United States Hotel I'm stopping." Witness wanted to give him notice, and information that a gang of thieves and pickpockets were likely to come down on them at that point, and he wanted in a quiet way to have them identified; that was the reason witness suggested to the Captain to come in plain clothes; first saw Captain Mills at Monsey, N. Y., some twelve miles from Newburg; he reached there Saturday evening about 10 o'clock, and remained as guest of witness over night, and left for New-York about noon the next day; the thieves had not made their appearance, and witness urged the Captain if possible to meet him at Port Jervis; the Captain did so on Tuesday, the 27th of April; the point they was at Milford, Penn.

Q.—Did he have any hand in managing the menagerie and wagons during the procession about and through the village of Milford, Penn.? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—What did that? A.—I was the manager.

Q.—Was he there simply as your guest? A.—That was all.

Q.—You paid his expenses? A.—Yes, Sir.

Q.—Had he any interest in your show? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Has he now? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Was he there in any capacity to render any service of any kind? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Did he receive any money from the sale of any ticket that you know of? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Under what circumstances did he assist at the sale of tickets? A.—Simply as a means of amusing away time; he did it of his own free will; it was accepted as a friendly service; he was not asked at all; we were a little short-handed; one of the managers and an advertiser were sick at the time; told Mr. Hagerty that Captain Mills was there as a guest; Captain Mills told witness that Mr. Hagerty was an Eighth Ward oilman from New-York; within a short time after this remark, less than an hour, Captain Mills told witness that he heard Mr. Hagerty say, "There goes Captain Mills, the Captain of the Eighth Precinct, the son a ——."

By Commissioner Brennan: Captain Mills rode with witness in a buggy belonging to the menagerie, from Port Jervis to Milford, a distance of about twenty-four miles; Captain Mills accompanied witness to Hawley and Honesdale, Penn., and from thence, on Friday, April 30, he returned to New-York.

Mr. GRAHAM put in evidence the "document" granting leave of absence to Captain MILLS for two days, "for the purpose of visiting a friend in Newburg." This was dated April 24. Also a paper, dated April 27, granting four days' leave of absence "for the purpose of recreation."

Captain MILLS took the stand and admitted that he had sold tickets, but received no compensation therefor, and did not expect to receive any. As he was going off the stoop of the hotel in Milford, he heard Mr. HAGERTY remark to some person, "That is Captain MILLS, of the Eighth Ward Police, New-York, the son of a ——." As to assisting in the management of animals, wagons, &c., during the procession about the village, he did not speak to any man on any subject, and information that a gang of thieves and pickpockets were likely to come down on them at that point, and he wanted in a quiet way to have them identified; that was the reason witness suggested to the Captain to come in plain clothes; first saw Captain Mills at Monsey, N. Y., some twelve miles from Newburg; he reached there Saturday evening about 10 o'clock, and remained as guest of witness over night, and left for New-York about noon the next day; the thieves had not made their appearance, and witness urged the Captain if possible to meet him at Port Jervis; the Captain did so on Tuesday, the 27th of April; the point they was at Milford, Penn.

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Q.—Was he there simply as your guest? A.—That was all.

Q.—You paid his expenses? A.—Yes, Sir.

Q.—Had he any interest in your show? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Has he now? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Was he there in any capacity to render any service of any kind? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Did he receive any money from the sale of any ticket that you know of? A.—No, Sir.

Q.—Under what circumstances did he assist at the sale of tickets? A.—Simply as a means of amusing away time; he did it of his own free will; it was accepted as a friendly service; he was not asked at all; we were a little short-handed; one of the managers and an advertiser were sick at the time; told Mr. Hagerty that Captain Mills was there as a guest; Captain Mills told witness that Mr. Hagerty was an Eighth Ward oilman from New-York; within a short time after this remark, less than an hour, Captain Mills told witness that he heard Mr. Hagerty say, "There goes Captain Mills, the Captain of the Eighth Precinct, the son a ——."

By Commissioner Brennan: Captain Mills rode with witness in a buggy belonging to the menagerie, from Port Jervis to Milford, a distance of about twenty-four miles; Captain Mills accompanied witness to Hawley and Honesdale, Penn., and from thence, on Friday, April 30, he returned to New-York.

Mr. GRAHAM put in evidence the "document" granting leave of absence to Captain MILLS for two days, "for the purpose of visiting a friend in Newburg." This was dated April 24. Also a paper, dated April 27, granting four days' leave of absence "for the purpose of recreation."

Captain MILLS took the stand and admitted that he had sold tickets, but received no compensation therefor, and did not expect to receive any. As he was going off the stoop of the hotel in Milford, he heard Mr. HAGERTY remark to some person, "That is Captain MILLS, of the Eighth Ward Police, New-York, the son of a ——." As to assisting in the management of animals, wagons, &c., during the procession about the village, he did not speak to any man on any subject, and his instructions were to drive and keep the wagon moving; he received no other orders. The Captain denied having sold Mr. HAGERTY any ticket, and would not have allowed him to go in to see the performance if he could have helped it. At Honesdale the boss-wheelwright of the show said to him, "Captain MILLS, one of your friends in Milford told me that he had telegraphed to some of the gang in New-York to come on and lick you," and added, "They will have a hot time as long as you are Mr. KELLEY's guest." He had four days' leave of absence, and was back to the station-house in the Eighth Precinct at 9 o'clock during tour.

Mr. GRAHAM, addressing the Commissioners, said he had no sympathy politically with Captain Mills; he was so far an extremist in the other direction that like a tree in the desert, he appeared straight and stand alone; he believed him to be a faithful and an efficient officer; he might run things into the ground sometimes on the score of severe discipline; he might be straight-laced in his moral notions. But from personal observation the speaker could say that since Captain MILLS took charge of the Eighth Precinct he had made the manifest change for the better in its aspect. When he went there it was unsafe at a comparatively early hour in the evening to pass through the streets; but at 1 o'clock on the very morning he was speaking he had passed through that precinct unarmed, and found the place in which the policemen did their duty it could be seen there was a severe and exact discipline. He believed there was some sympathy among certain persons in that locality for the convicted thief in getting up Tweddy's supposed wrongs, which, Mr. GRAHAM referred to a place in the precinct where as many as twenty thieves congregated at one time at the counter. Of course, the Captain of the kind could not be friendly to Captain MILLS, and present they could only hatch their plans there, and the officers of the precinct to carry them out. That portion of the City was said to contain more criminals, and more finished criminals, than all the other portions of the City put together. Mr. GRAHAM then quoted section 6 of the Police law, and showed that it did not apply to this case. The section is as follows:

"Any one of the said Commissioners, or any member of the Police force, who shall, during his term of office, accept or hold any other place of public trust or civil employment, or who shall, during his term of office, be nominated for any office elective by the people, and shall not within ten days succeeding the same, publicly decline the said nomination, shall be, in either case, deemed to have vacated his office, and to have vacated his office."

Rule 430 for the regulation of the force was the only one that could in any way be considered applicable to the case of Captain MILLS. It was read, as follows:

"Each member of the Police force shall devote his whole time and attention to the business of the Department, and he is expressly prohibited from following any other calling, or being employed in any other business. Although certain hours are allotted to the respective Sergeants and Patrolmen for the performance of ordinary duty, occasions may yet arise when they must be prepared to act immediately, on notice that their services are required."

To all effects and purposes when leave of absence was granted a policeman he was resolved into a private citizen, disrobed of his official character. In going into an adjoining State, under such circumstances, he was master of his own time, if he committed no immoral or criminal act, as much so as though he were not a member of the force. Otherwise a man might be dismissed for gunning, boating, yachting, &c. This was the only reasonable way of construing the rule. The case was then submitted to the Board. It is understood that the complaint will be dismissed.

DECORATION DAY.

The Services at the Cemeteries on Sunday Next—Action of the Grand Army of the Republic—General Orders to First and Second Divisions, National Guard.

The Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic had a large attendance on Monday evening at the headquarters of the Committee, which are established at No. 10 Union-square. Several sub-Committees reported progress, when the Special Committee, to confer with the delegates of religious bodies on the change of the day, presented their report. A long and earnest discussion was had, at the close of which, on a call by yeas and nays, the Committee decided by a vote, which was made unanimous, in favor of the original date, Sunday, May 30.

The Committees on Programme, Transportation, Music, Decorations, Public Services and other details reported attention.

The outline of the order of the day is as follows: Procession to form in Union-square, with the military and civic organizations uniting in the ceremonies, moving by way of Fulton Ferry to the Cemetery, where the services will be held. In the evening a memorial service will be held at the Academy of Music, sermon by Rev. HENRY W. BELLOWS, D. D., and address by General BICKLING. Tickets, fifty cents; proceeds to go to the Union Home School for Children of Soldiers and Relief Fund of the Grand Army.

Contributions in money will be received by Major-General CHAS. K. GRAHAM, at headquarters, or at the bank in the *Sun* building. Flowers will be received by the ladies from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M. on Saturday, at the headquarters, No. 10 Union-square.

Major-General ALEXANDER SHALER, commanding the First Division, National Guard of the State of New-York, has issued a general order inviting the regiments of the Division to take part in the exercises on Decoration Day, such organizations as desire to participate in the ceremonies at Cypress Hills Cemetery, and embrace this opportunity of manifesting their respect for the memory of the fallen heroes, are to report at the headquarters of the Division to-day, in order that instructions may be issued from Brooklyn for the formation of the line, and arrangements made for transportation to and from Fulton Ferry.

Similar orders have been issued by Major-General WOODWARD, commanding the Second Division (Kings County). The orders on this subject which he issued while he was in Washington to order out the division as a body, yet these ceremonies of floral decoration are so beautifully appropriate that the Commanding-General expresses the hope that all members of the command will participate therein." The companies of regiments intending to take part in the parade on the day in question are to report through the brigade commanders to the headquarters of the division, in Brooklyn, as the latter part of this week.

The following is the programme arranged for the religious services at the Cypress Hills Cemetery and the Academy of Music:

AT CYPRESS HILLS CEMETERY.

1. Dirge by the Marine Band. 2. Prayer by Rev. EDWARD P. SMITH. 3. Original hymn by WM. ORLAND BOURNE, to be sung by all present. 4. Remarks by Major-General DANIEL E. SICKLES, introducing Colonel EDWARD R. LANSING, Vice-Grand Commander Department of New-York, who will deliver an address upon the aims and objects of the Grand Army, and in memoriam of those who lie buried there. 5. Decorations of graves. 6. Assembly and closing hymn. 7. Benediction.

AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

1. Prayer—By Rev. EDWARD P. SMITH. 2. Dirge—By Governor's Island Band. 3. Singing. 4. Remarks by Major-General DANIEL E. SICKLES, introducing Rev. HENRY W. BELLOWS, President of the United States Sanitary Commission, who will deliver the Memorial Sermon. 5. Singing. 6. Dirge—By Governor's Island Band. 7. Benediction.

The programme of the military and civic procession will be published at an early day, and the Committee request that the different civic societies join them on the occasion. During the march of the procession through the City, the bands will cease playing as they pass the different churches on the line of march.

MORE SAFE-BREAKING.

Attempt to Break the Safe of the Dry Dock Bank—Baffled Burglars and Even Virtue.

The Dry Dock Bank, corner of East Tenth-street and Avenue D, has been the scene of the latest endeavor of the burglar to earn other men's money by the sweat of his brow, but in this case, fortunately for the bank, the sweat was unremunerative, and the labor did not meet with an adequate reward.

Some time during Tuesday night burglars effected an entrance into the bank by digging through the outer wall into the fire-place, and to gain a base for this operation, first committed burglary upon a paint-shop adjoining the bank in Avenue D. Once within the shop they were secure from observation, and had a wall only three bricks in thickness between them and the bank room. This slight obstacle was probably very quickly overcome, and when within the bank-room they began work immediately upon the door leading to the safe-room. This door is made of chilled iron, and although they succeeded in getting off the outside plating, and in drilling some little way into the door itself, these operations consumed so much time that they were interrupted by the approach of day, and were forced to abandon the enterprise. As the sole results of the labor of 24 hours, they obtained only a revolver, which had been left in one of the counter drawers, and which will hardly pay to put their blunted drills in proper condition for their next enterprise.

Activity Among the Burglars.

At a late hour on Tuesday night a gang of burglars made an unsuccessful attempt to rob the Eleventh Ward Bank, situate on the corner of Tenth-street and Avenue D. The thieves gained an entrance to the bank through a paint shop adjoining, where they broke through the wall. They then made a strenuous effort to force their way into the vaults, but the doors proved too strong, and the gang was compelled to abandon the job in disgust. The Police have no clue to their identity.

On Tuesday night a gang of burglars gained an entrance to the hay and feed store of E. C. & T. D. BETTS, at No. 347 Third-avenue. They rolled the safe into the rear office, and with drills and powder forced it open. The sound of the explosion was deadened by grain bags and hay bales. The thieves gained possession of a large sum of money, and made a successful escape.

THE GRAIN SWINDLE.

Accurate Account of the Affair—Over $90,000 Realized by the Defaulters—Some of the Money Obtained by False Pretences.

The fraudulent transactions of SCOTT & MUNSON, the defaulting storage merchants of Wall-street, appear to have been more extensive and aggravated than was announced in yesterday's TIMES, the latest developments conclusively showing that the partners were guilty of false pretences as well as a breach of trust. In addition to the discovery that they had disposed of a large quantity of oats intrusted to their keeping by grain merchants, it has also transpired that they were engaged in the criminal offence of obtaining large amounts of money from various parties, and offering in return receipts for grain which they were unable to make good. Instead of amounting to $65,000, the frauds have swelled into the aggregate sum of $92,000, and it is believed that they will be still larger when all the victims and their losses are ascertained. The sufferers themselves have kept very quiet about the matter, apparently not desiring their names or the extent of their losses to appear in connection with the huge swindle. Among the merchants who were defrauded in the heaviest sums it is alleged are the following:

The Guarantee Indemnity Company	$25,000
H. Y. Mott	10,000
Mr. Van Nostrand	40,000
Mr. Seaman	15,000
Total	$91,000

It is said that the absconding merchants were in the habit of making out fraudulent receipts, purporting to represent certain amounts of grain on hand, and on these realized sums of money from parties who make it a business to advance on stored grain. Mention was made that the partners owed about $2,000 each on the stores which they occupied at the Atlantic Docks, and that Mr. VAN NOSTRAND, their former partner, would have to make up the deficit to the owner, Mr. THOS. SHORTLAND, of Brooklyn, as he had become security for the payment. The stores, six in number, when examined, did not show any property which could be consigned, except a few hundred bushels of corn, which was claimed by BAKER & MONTAGUE, and they accordingly had the grain transferred to their stores. The flight of the fugitives seems to be a matter of indifference to to the victims, no steps having been taken to effect their capture. The affair was the general topic of conversation of commercial change yesterday, and was widely discussed.

Annual Spring Parade of the Fourth Brigade, National Guard.

Yesterday afternoon the Fourth Brigade, National Guard, assembled under command of Brigadier-General LLOYD ASPINWALL for the purpose of making its annual Spring parade. The command consists of the Fourth, Eleventh, Twenty-second, Sixty-ninth and Seventy-ninth Regiments, and the brigade line was formed soon after 3 o'clock, after which the route of march toward the City Hall was taken up, the command attracting considerable attention as it marched down Broadway. The head of the column reached the Park at 4:30 o'clock, when Mayor HALL was notified, and made his appearance on the esplanade soon after. General ASPINWALL marched the command down Broadway as far as the Astor House, and passed up Park-row, on which side he entered the Park and tendered the Mayor the compliment of a marching salute.

The Fourth Regiment was under the command of Colonel LUX, and made a very slow and unsoldierly appearance, as is usual with this crack German organization. The new uniform worn by the regiment gives it a handsome look, and the result is a decided improvement upon the old style of dress. The discipline of the Eleventh Regiment, as evidenced, judging from the full turn-out always to be noticed in its parades, and the regiment is a decided acquisition to the First Division.

The Twenty-second made a neat and soldierly appearance, as is customary with that excellent regiment, being under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel FORTER. The attendance of the members was only fair, however, the number of absentees being, no doubt, accounted for by the recent target excursion. The marching of the Twen

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

No sales were made at the Salesroom yesterday. A few pieces of property were offered, but were not disposed of. The hot, sultry weather of the past few days has had an unfavorable effect upon the market. The attendance has fallen off considerably, and the few who do attend are too warm and uncomfortable to take much interest in what is being sold. Their great effort is to keep cool; unsuccessful in that, they care very little for anything else. City sales are gradually dropping off, each week being lighter than the previous one. Country sales, though, do not feel this depression. They are yet brisk and generally well attended. Public interest has not abated in the least, and people are quite as ready to buy now as they were when the season opened.

To-day, at 3 o'clock, on the premises, Messrs. MULLER, WILKINS & CO. have a sale of valuable property, located at Rye, Westchester County, N. Y., known as the Rye Beach property. Carriages will meet the 11:20 train to convey persons to the premises. Maps and particulars at the auctioneers' office, No. 7 Pine-street.

But one sale will be made at the Salesroom, that by Mr. JOS. MCGUIRE, and consists of the household property No. 73 Warren-street.

To-morrow, Messrs. LUDLOW & Co. have a small sale, which will be the last for the week.

On Tuesday, Messrs. BLEECKER & Co. had a small sale at White Plains, N. Y., and Messrs. MALLORY & BLACKWELL had another at Yonkers. The latter was not completed; some eight lots were sold at very fair prices, after which, for some unaccountable reason, the sale was adjourned for two weeks.

Auction Sales Yesterday.

WHITE PLAINS—MAY 25.

By A. J. Bleecker, Son & Co.

Lexington-av., 3 lots, 80x120, each	$225
Lexington-av., 3 lots, 50x120, each	220
Washington-av., 3 lots, 40x270, each	175
Charles-st., 3 lots, 40x150, each	130
Charles-st., 3 lots, 40x150, each	100
Washington-av., 2 lots, 80x120, each	70
Washington-av., 2 lots, 40x120, each	100
Grant-av., 1 lot, 34x80x120	130
Cambridge-av., 4 lots, 27x124, each	175
Cambridge-av., 4 lots, 27x124, each	100
Cambridge-av., 4 lots, 27x120, each	140

YONKERS—MAY 25.

By Mallory & Blackwell.

2 lot s. e. corner of Madison and Ashburton avs., 22x80	$675
1 lot s. e. of Ashburton-av., adjoining, 22x93	650
1 lot Ashburton-av., adjoining above, 22x114x20x[illegible]	700
1 lot s. e. of Madison-av., in rear of above, 22x100	500
1 lot Madison-av., adjoining above, 22x112	500
1 lot s. e. of Ingham-st., adjoining J. A. Hamblin's house, 27x100	475
1 lot Ingham-st., adjoining above, 27.6x100	450
1 lot Summit-st., 125 ft. s. of Ashburton-av., 22x75	405

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK.

Boulevard, c. s., 100.8 ft. s. of 125-st., 25x108.1	$6,700
Boulevard, s. e. corner 93d-st., 25.8x117.5x25.9x 115.1	9,200
Boulevard, e. s., 75.8 ft. n. of 92d-st., 50x122.11	14,300
Boulevard, w. s., 100.8 ft. s. of 92d-st., 50.5x100x 42.7x100.3	12,800
Boulevard, w. s., 50.8 ft. s. of 92d-st., 25x100	12,600
Boulevard, w. s., 25.8 ft. s. of 92d-st., 25x100	7,200
Boulevard, s. e. corner of 79th-st., 25x100	7,500
Boulevard, n. w. corner of 92d-st., 25.8x100	9,400
Boulevard, w. s., 25.8 ft. n. of 92d-st., 100x100	27,400
Boulevard, w. s., 100.11 ft. n. of 94th-st., 60.5x x219 x68.5x[illegible]	30,000
Cherry-st., s. w. corner of Clinton-st., 24x116.8x24 x116.3	14,000
Hester-st., n. s., 106 known as No. 8, 20x100	nom.
Mott-st., w. s., 24.4x84.1x[illegible]	nom.
Lexington-av., s. s., 27 ft. s. of 40th-st., 19.4x[illegible]	17,000
White-st., s. s., 69.7 ft. s. of Church-st., 24.4x189.10	105,000
Worth-st., n. s., 325.5 ft. w. of Broadway, 47.7x 100x46.10x100	77,677
4th-st., s. s., 200 ft. w. of 1st-av., 25x96.2½	12,600
4th-st., s. s., 225 ft. w. of 1st-av., 25x96.2½	12,600
4th-st., s. s., 250 ft. w. of 1st-av., 50x96.2½	26,000
4th-st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of 1st-av., irregular	10,000
34th-st., s. s., 425 ft. w. of 6th-av., 25x98.9	10,500
23d-st., n. s., 225 ft. e. of 9th-av., 18.6x81.11x11.1x 62.5	3,100
22d-st., s. s., 100 ft. w. of Boulevard, 25x144.4	5,600
52d-st., s. s., 150 ft. w. of Boulevard, 75x140.10x75 x138.10	12,000
86d-st., n. s., 150 ft. w. of Boulevard, 25x124	6,550
125th-st., n. s., 275 ft. e. of 7th-av., 75x99.11	8,000
122d-st., n. s., 410 ft. w. of 5th-av., 25x99.11	3,000
123d-st., n. s., 350 ft. w. of 7th-av., dimensions not stated	nom.
Av. C, s. w. corner of 58th-st., 100.5x20x20x20x 20.5x100	24,000
1st-av., W.A., 24.8½ ft. n. of 23d-st., irregular	45,000
1st-av., s. e. corner of 67th-st., lots known as Nos. 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70 and 91, dimensions not stated	nom.
2d-av., w. s., 77.6 ft. n. of 12th-st., 25.9x112.6	25,000
2d-av., e. s., between 118th and 119th sts., 207.10x 203x110.11x100.11x200	40,000
2d-av., s. e. corner of 120th-st., 100x100	nom.
13th-av., e. s., 100.8 ft. s. of 52d-st., 28.5x100x35.3x 100.5	4,180

Leases Recorded.

Broadway and 42d-av., between 42d and 43d sts., 21 years, for the first 4 years, $36,000 for the last 17 years.

William-st., No. 229, 3 years, per year	$1,600
4th-av., No. 67, 2 years, per year	1,850
4th-av., No. 69, 3 years, per year	800
4th-av., No. 473, 2 years, per year	600

KINGS COUNTY.

Brooklyn.

Clay-st., s. s., 200 ft. e. of Union-av., 22x100	$600
City-st., s. s., 200 ft. e. of Union-av., 25x100	800
Congress-st., s. s., 80 ft. e. of Henry-st., 71.6x102x 72.3x[illegible]	12,500
Dean-st., s. s., 150 ft. w. of Hudson-av., 67x100	6,700
Diamond-st., w. s., 125 ft. n. of Nassau-av., 25x 100	900
Herkimer-ca, n. s., 420 ft. w. of Albany-av., 25x 100	5,300
Hicks-st., w. s., 25 ft. s. of Sapalyea-st., 20x100	4,800
Hoyt and Union sts., n. w. corner, 50x80	40,000
Jefferson-st. and Patchen-av., n. w. corner, 175x 200	14,750
Lorimer-st., w. s., 225 ft. n. of Nassau-av., 25x100	850
Lorimer-st., w. s., 200 ft. w. of Nassau-av., 25x100	850
Lorimer-st., w. s., 75 ft. of Franklin-av., 25x100	800
Rutland-st., e. s., 50 ft. n. of Kingsland-st., 25x100	650
Sackett-st., n. s., 265 ft. w. of Bond-st., 20x80	10,000
Sackett-st., n. s., 150 ft. e. of President-st., 150x100	1,800
Scott-st., n. s., 200 ft. w. of Court-st., 100x 100x24.5x78x100	20,000
Seventh-st., s. s., 75 ft. e. of Ewen-st., 25x75	2,500
Tompkins-st., n. s., 63.7 ft. n. w. of Smith-st., 21.10x102x20.3x102.1x[illegible]	800
Same property, May 24	1,600
Sackett-st., n. s., 200 ft. w. of Smith-st., 20x100	4,000
Wyckoff-st. and 5th-av., n. e. corner, 100x100	30,000
4th-av. and 4th-st., s. w. corner, 41.7ft. n. of 4th-st., 18x[illegible]	9,000
North 2d-st., s. s., 150 ft. e. of 6th-st., 25x100	800
South 4th and 5th sts., n. w. corner, 105.4x90.22x 104x64.6x108	75,000
5th-st., w. s., 115.6 ft. s. of South 4th-st., 22x100	11,000
6th-st., 100 ft. w. of, and South 4th-st. 100 ft. s. of (rear lot) 40x100	1,400
6th-st., n. s., 475 ft. e. of 3d-av., 20x100	1,800
26th-st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 3d-av., 20x100	1,200
26th-st., n. s., 250 ft. w. of 7th-av., 122.4x300.2x114 x300	3,500
3d-av., e. s., adjoining Isaac E. Bergen, about 28 acres	25,000

QUEENS COUNTY.

Long Island City.

East 2d-st., s. s., 125 ft. w. of West-av., 25x100	$1,000
East 2d-st., s. s., 275 ft. w. of West-av., house and lot, 25x100	6,000
West 9th-st. n. s., 120 ft. w. of Central-av., 20x100	600

Maspeth.

Lot No. 32, block No. —, 20x100	$135

North Hempstead.

Great Neck to Manhasset Valley road, e. s., adjoining Udall, indefinite acres	$400

Oyster Bay.

Peacock-lane, w. s., adjoining Weeks', 5½ acres	$600
Friends Meetinghouse to Matinecock road, w. s., adjoining Tillay's, 1½ acres	600
Mannetto Hill road, w. s., adjoining Lawrence, 6 acres and house	4,300

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Bedford.

James Lounsberry's to Court-house, e. s. C. Olmstead's	$3,000

East Chester.

New-Rochelle to East Chester, by Burtis' Mills road, e. s., 89 acres	$25,000
4th-av., e. s., lot No. 128 Central Mount Vernon, 50x100	150
7th-av., e. s., ½ lot No. 221, Wakefield, 25x114	125

Morrisania.

149th-st., s. s., 325 ft. e. of Willis-av., 25x100	$700

Rye.

1st-av., w. s., adjoining C. Hoppery, ¼ acre	$1,200

Yonkers.

Riverdale-av., w. s., lot No. 29, 25x100	$1,000
Valley-av., e. s., 200 ft. n. of Post-av., 50x164	1,000
Warburton-av., w. s., part lot No. 115, 25x100	1,500

NEW-JERSEY.

Newark.

Barnet-st., w. s., 100 ft. s. of Orange-st., 66x186	$42,000
Court-st., corner of Shipman-st., 92x100	3,000
Mt. Pleasant-av., w. s., indefinite, 60x300	3,000
Newtown-st., w. s. 51 ft. n. of Chestnut-st., 102x200	15,000
Bank and Chestnut sts., n. w. corner, 66 ft. front	
Clinton.	
Bronx-av., s. s., indefinite, 122x794	$1,000
Montclair.	
Centre Mountain-av., indefinite, 50.10x100 acres	$22,125
South Orange.	
Church-st., s. w. s., indefinite, 50x125	$1,875
Westfield.	
Mt. Prospect-av., e. s., indefinite, 400 ft. front	$4,000

HUDSON COUNTY.

Jersey City.

Pacific-st., n. s., 98 ft. e. of Monmouth-st., 16.8x 100	$4,171
South 5th-st., n. s., 66 ft. w. of Henderson, 24x100	4,000
Same property, one-half share	2,000

Hoboken.

Meadow and 7th sts., s. w. corner, 62x98	$1,300
6th and Jefferson sts., s. w. corner, 138x100	3,200

Bergen.

Newark-plank road, e. s., 89 ft. n. of A. P. Newbury's line	$4,000

Hudson City.

Lot No. 21, block No. 2, Hudson City Land Association map, 40x100	$800
Lot No. 23, block No. 2, Hudson City Land Association map, 40x100	800
Lot No. 29, block No. 4, Hudson City Land Association map, 40x100	800
Lot No. 76, block No. 4, Hudson City Land Association map, 40x100	800
Lot No. 63, block No. 2, adjoining Reservoir, 25x 125	800

Guttenberg.

Lot No. 40, block No. 32, May Guttenberg, each	
Lot No. 38, block No. 32, May	$215

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A sweet place in the heart of Bergen County, New-Jersey, about two acres nearly laid out; stable, four stalls; house, 30x40, twelve rooms; plenty of fruit; 15 minutes' drive from depot; time from City to house, 1½ hours. Would take City house above 23d-st. between 6th and 7th ave., worth about $25,000. My place worth $12,000; would pay cash for difference. Address L., Box No. 49 Post Office.

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A DESIRABLE COUNTRY RESIdence to let on the banks of the Hudson River, at Fort Washington, adjoining Mr. James Gordon Bennett's. The house contains thirteen rooms, and is in good order; there are eight acres of land, coachman's house, and stable; the situation is unsurpassed for beauty of scenery, and is remarkably healthy. For further particulars apply to E. S. MORSE, No. 138 Duane-st.

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REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

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At 1 P. M., on the premises,

80 valuable business and manufacturing lots at

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Seventy-five per cent. can remain at six per cent.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 1,

At 12 M., at Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, New-York.

BELLEFIELD,

the country seat of the late

JAMES BOORMAN,

AT

HYDE PARK.

The mansion, a large frame house, with a frontage including wings of 96 feet, 46 feet deep, contains some 25 rooms, has just been painted and put in perfect order. Farm house of 9 rooms; stone cottage of 4 rooms, on the river bank, elegantly finished in black walnut; two other cottages with 3 or 4 rooms. Large barn, carriage house, stable, green-house, roomery, grapery, ice-house, &c.

The grounds comprise one hundred and thirty acres, running from the Albany Turnpike to the Hudson River; 800 yards of water front; water 30 feet deep, affording a fine anchorage for a yacht. Two beautiful lakes adjoining, one of 3 acres, the other of 1 acre, and for practical uses a rare opportunity is offered for trout breeding; and a fall of water of 18 feet near the main house gives sufficient power for all mechanical purposes, including sawing, turning, &c.

A fine road leads from the turnpike to the stone cottage on the banks of the river, built in the best manner, affords a delightful drive, shaded nearly all the way by the overhanging trees, giving views, fine lawns, miles of hedges, and everything that goes to make a country residence desirable for a gentleman of means, is here to be found.

The improvements on this property could not be put into shape for less than the money, and will be sold at the day of sale for less than half of this amount.

Maps, photographs and particulars at the office of auctioneers.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 3,

At 1 o'clock P. M., on the premises.

Peremptory sale of 100 LOTS OF THE

BUILDING PLOTS AT SING SING,

By order of E. B. and A. B. Clarke, Executors.

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AUCTION SALE OF THE CELEBRATED RYE BEACH PROPERTY.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, May 27, at 3 o'clock, at the premises;

The valuable real estate situate on Long Island Sound, in the village of Rye, Westchester County, N. Y., known as the Rye Beach property, consisting of 224 acres of first quality land, four of which is a grove of fine growth, balance in lawn and under cultivation. This property is only 1 hour from City of New-York, with a fine sand beach, and has long been a celebrated resort for bathing, boating and fishing. The upland is high, and from its shape (being nearly square) and fronting on three roads, can be divided into several beautiful villa sites. The location is one of the most healthy in Westchester County; the neighborhood unexceptionable, churches and good schools. The time from New-York only one hour by the New-Haven Road, the trains of which stop at Rye some 12 or 13 times daily; and on the completion of the Harlem River Branch of the Central Road, there will be but a short distance from this property, the time from New-York will be much shortened. The improvements consist of a first-class frame dwelling, containing 18 rooms, finished in modern style; good stable and carriage-house and other outbuildings. For a private residence or first Summer hotel there is no place in the vicinity of New-York that can offer equal advantages.

Carriages will be ready to convey persons to the premises on the arrival of the 11:20 train.

VALUABLE ESTATE IN NEWPORT, R. I.

In the Circuit Court.—Eustis vs. Bagnell et al.—Pursuant to a decretal order in this case, I will offer at public outcry at the old Custom-house, in Newport, R. I., at 11 o'clock A. M., on MONDAY, the 7th day of June next, all that lot of land, with the buildings thereon standing, situated in Kay-st., in the City of Newport, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the house as the Eustis House, being the estate in said town of Newport of which Patience Wise B. Eustis was seised at the time of her death, to wit: Measuring on Kay-st. 50 5-12 feet; on land of Joseph Wilbur 50 feet; on land of Fell 59 6-12 feet, and on land of R. S. Isard 279 5-12 feet. The house is a frame house of two stories and attic, with high stone basement, containing 18 rooms, with gas in them.

The situation is well known to be one of the best in Newport for private residence, and is surrounded by first-class estates.

The terms of sale will be one-half cash and the balance on a credit of one year, to be secured by bonds of the purchaser and a mortgage of the premises, the buildings to be insured and the policy assigned, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

Purchaser to pay me for necessary papers and stamps.

J. P. M. EPPING, U. S. Marshal,

District of Rhode Island, Charlestown, S. C.

Particulars of HAZARD, APTHORP & CO., No. 110 Broadway, New-York.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—City and County of New-York.—ELIJAH BOWNE and MARY ELIZABETH BOWNE vs. SARAH ANN HAYNES et al.—In Partition.—In pursuance of a judgment of this Court, made and entered in the above-entitled action, bearing date the 6th day of April, 1869, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on the 25th day of May, 1869, at 12 o'clock noon, through Joseph McGuire, auctioneer, all that certain lot of land situate and being on the westerly side of the Third-avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, in the Eighteenth Ward, in the City of the City of New-York, known and distinguished on a certain map, entitled "Map of property situate in the Sixteenth Ward, in the City of New-York, belonging to Thomas Thomas, and the estate of the late Robert Fuller, deceased, dated New-York, June 12th, 1867, surveyed by D. Dyson, City Surveyor, by the name of lot number (37) on the said map; northerly, by the lot number (36) on the said map; easterly, by the lot number (38) on the said map; southerly, by the lot number (39) on the said map; and westerly, by the lot number (35) on the said map; containing 18 breadth, in front and rear, twenty-four feet eight inches, and in length on each side, one hundred feet. Also, all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate in the City of New-York, at Harlem, in the County and State of New-York, bounded, east, by the Third-avenue; north, by a line parallel to One Hundred and Eighteenth-street, and distant twenty-five feet northerly therefrom; west, westerly, by a line parallel to Third-avenue, distant one hundred feet westerly therefrom; southerly, by a line parallel with One Hundred and Eighteenth-street, distant twenty feet northerly therefrom. Dated New-York, April 13, 1869. GRATZ NATHAN, Referee.

V. O. THOMAS, Plaintiffs' Attorney.

The above sale is adjourned till the 9th day of June, 1869, at the same hour and place. Dated New-York, May 25, 1869. GRATZ NATHAN, Referee.

SUPREME COURT.—FERDINAND SUYDAM, JOHN DORE, PHILLIPS PHOENIX and GEORGE HENRY WARREN, surviving executors under the last will and testament of Gilbert Wheaton, deceased, plaintiffs, against OLIVER B. INGERSOLL and ADALINE M., his wife, and others, defendants.—In pursuance of a judgment of the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, made in the above-entitled action, I will expose to sale at public auction, on MONDAY, the 17th day of May, 1869, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, by Joseph McGuire, Auctioneer, the following described lots, viz.: All those lots or parcels of land, with the buildings thereon, situate, lying and being on the east side of Water-st., and Pike-slip, running thence northerly and parallel with Pike-slip one hundred and sixty feet out and a fraction; thence westerly and parallel with Water-st. forty-one feet four and one-half inches to the line of South-st.; thence northerly along said northerly line of South-st. forty-one feet four and one-half inches, thence northerly and parallel with Pike-slip one hundred and sixty feet; thence easterly and parallel with Water-st. forty-one feet four and one-half inches to the line of Pike-st.; thence westerly along said southerly line of Water-st. forty-one feet four and one-half inches to the place of beginning.—Dated New-York, April 21, 1869.

IRVING PARIS, Plaintiffs' Attorney.

The above sale is adjourned till the 7th day of June, 1869, at the same hour and place. Dated New-York, May 17, 1869. GRATZ NATHAN, Referee.

IRVING PARIS, Plaintiffs' Attorney.

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Sealed proposals will be received for two Oxen and two Horses, in whole or in part, will be received by the undersigned at Willet's Point, New-York Harbor, until 12 M. on MONDAY, May 31, 1869, at which time and place bidders are requested to be present.

The following conditions for the butcher; combined live weight about 1,321 pounds.

One Black Steer, 4 years old, 11 hands high.

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The proposals for the Oxen will specify the price per pound actual live weight.

The animals are open to inspection from date to day of sale, and must be removed within five days after day of sale. Terms cash on delivery. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. The envelope containing proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for Government Animals," and be addressed to the undersigned, Willet's Point, New-York Harbor. No newspaper will copy this advertisement unless specially ordered.

HENRY L. ABBOT, Major of Engineers and Brevet Brig.-Gen., U. S. A.

MORSE WILKINS, Auctioneer.

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E. R. LUDLOW & CO. will sell by auction THURSDAY, May 27, at 11 o'clock, at No. 36 East 12th-st., between 5th-av. and Union-square, all the furniture of said house, comprising parlor suites, in silk, hair brocatel, reps and plush, elegantly carved rosewood stagere, marble-top centre and library tables, walnut secretaire, very fine French-plate pier and mantel mirrors and vermilion, rich damask and lace curtains, fine Turkish lounges and easy chairs, sof

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From Pier No. 46 North River, WEDNESDAY.
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CABIN PASSAGE.....(Gold) $80
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PASSAGE BY THE TUESDAY STEAMER VIA HALIFAX.
FIRST CABIN. PAYABLE IN GOLD. Liverpool, $80 Halifax, 20 St. John's, N. F., by Branch Steamer, 40
STEERAGE. PAYABLE IN CURRENCY. Liverpool, $28 Halifax, 15 St. John's N. F., by Branch Steamer, 20
Passengers also forwarded to Havre, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at reduced rates.
Tickets can be bought here at moderate rates by persons wishing to send for their friends.
For further information apply at the Company's Offices, 15 Broadway, Adam's Express Building, No. 15 Broadway, New-York.

STEAM TO ANTWERP—INMAN LINE.
CITY OF LIMERICK.....June 8
CITY OF DUBLIN.....July 7
and monthly throughout the season.
RATES OF PASSAGE.
From New-York. Cabin.....$100, Currency. Steerage.....$35, Currency.
From Antwerp. Cabin.....$80, Gold. Steerage.....$35, Gold.
For further information apply at the Company's office, No. 15 Broadway, N. Y.
JOHN G. DALE, Agent, No. 15 Broadway, N. Y.

NATIONAL LINE.
From Pier No. 47 North River.
FRANCE, GRACE, SATURDAY, May 29, at 2½ P. M.
Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $100 and $80; Steerage, $30, currency.
Steerage tickets from Liverpool or Queenstown, $27, currency.
Apply at the Company's office, No. 69 Broadway.
JOHN G. DALE, Agent, No. 15 Broadway.
F. W. MUHSI, Manager.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S THROUGH LINE TO
CALIFORNIA AND CHINA.
Through rates, New-York to San Francisco:
First Cabin. Outside. $135 Inside. $125 Second Cabin. $100 Steerage. $75
Excursion Second Cabin. $175
CHANGE OF SAILING DATE.
Steamers of the above line leave Pier No. 42 North River, foot of Canal-st., at 12 o'clock noon.
ON THE 1ST, 9TH AND 17TH OF EACH MONTH, except when these days fall on Sunday, then the day preceding.
One hundred pounds baggage free to each adult.
Children and attendants free.
June 1, ARIZONA, Capt. MAURY, connecting with CONSTITUTION, Capt. HUDSON.
Steamer leaving this date connects closely with passenger GREAT REPUBLIC, leaving San Francisco July 2 for China and Japan.
NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.—Freight for CHINA and JAPAN will be received on MONDAY, May 31. All usual facilities afforded shippers in connection inland charges, &c.
For freight or passage tickets and all further information, apply at the Company's ticket office on the wharf, foot of Canal-st. F. H. HABY, Agent.

NEW LINE FOR ST. DOMINGO, ST. THOMAS, ST. DOMINGO CITY, SAMANA, PUERTA DE PLATA.
The first-class steamship
TYBEE,
Captain R. A. DELANOY,
will leave Pier No. 4, North River, on WEDNESDAY, June 2, at 3 o'clock P. M.
For freight or passage (having superior accommodations) apply to BEDFORD, TILESTON & CO., No. 32 Broadway.

U. S. MAIL TO HAVANA.
ATLANTIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
Sailing every SUNDAY, TUESDAY and THURSDAY, at 3 o'clock P. M., precisely, from Pier No. 4 North River.
COLUMBIA, Capt. R. VAN SICK.....May 27
HAVANA, Capt. W. H. GERRY.....June 1
MORRO CASTLE, Capt. R. ADAMS.....June 10
For freight or passage apply to
F. C. WHEELER, Jr., President, No. 4 Bowling-green.

FOR ST. THOMAS AND BRAZIL.
UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
REGULAR MAIL STEAMERS sailing on the 23d of every month.
NORTH AMERICA, Capt. ..... June 23.
MERRIMACK, Capt. W. WISE, July 22.
SOUTH AMERICA, Capt. E. L. THEBAUDET, Aug. 23.
These splendid steamers call on schedule time, and hail at St. Thomas, Para, Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio de Janeiro, touching, on outward passage, at Port-au-Prince.
For freight or passage, apply at No. 4 Bowling-green.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 4 Bowling-green, New-York.

FOR HAVANA.
CARYSFORT LINE OF MAILS.
Atlantic Mail Steamship Company's steamer COLUMBIA, Captain VAN SICK, THURSDAY, June 10, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 4 North River.
For freight or passage (having superior accommodations) apply to BEDFORD, TILESTON & CO., No. 32 Broadway.

HAVANA, SISAL AND VERA CRUZ.
New-York and Mexican Mail Steamship Line, from Pier No. 11 East River, at 12 M.
The splendid new steamer
CLEOPATRA, Capt. DRAKE, SATURDAY, May 29
CITY OF MEXICO, Capt. DRAKE, FRIDAY, June 18
For freight or passage apply to
F. ALEXANDER & SONS, No. 63 Broadway.

FOR NEW-ORLEANS DIRECT.
THE CROMWELL LINE.
Steamships of this Line will leave Pier No. 9 North River, at 3 o'clock P. M., as follows:
CORTES.....WILSON, Saturday, May 29.
MARIPOSA.....REMIE, Saturday, June 5.
Yacht rates for 65. Leon, Mobile and Galveston at through rates. For passage, first and second class, or freight, apply to
R. R. CROMWELL & CO., No. 86 West-st.

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C., THE FLORIDA PORTS AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTH-WEST.—REGULAR LINE.—Fast and favorite steamship SARAGOSSA, C. RYDER, Commander, will sail WEDNESDAY, June 2, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 1, North River, foot of Rector-st. Through bills of lading to all points South and Southwest. Accounts in Charleston (RAVENEL & CO.) forward all goods free of commission.
ARTHUR TEAKY, Agent, No. 79 William-st.
The MAGNOLIA will sail June 9.

FOR SALE—THE WELL-KNOWN STEAM Yacht JOSEPHINE HOEY, now out in the dock at the foot of 18th-st., will be put in complete order and warranted to steam ten to twelve miles per hour; length, 65 feet; breadth on deck, 12 feet. Apply at No. 71 South-st.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.—United States passports, indispensable to travelers, obtained by J. B. NONES, Passport Agent, 398 Broadway.

SHIPPING.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA., AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST.
GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE STEAMSHIPS, AND CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA.
Sailing from this wharf every MONDAY, TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS.
HERMAN LIVINGSTON, Capt. Commander, THURSDAY, May 27, from Pier No. 14 North River, at 3 P. M.
LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents, No. 22 Broad-st.
SAN JACINTO, Capt. ARRIN, SATURDAY, May 29, from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 4 Bowling-green.
GUETTEVILLE, Capt. COOPER, SATURDAY, May 29, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 3 P. M.
R. LOWDEN, Agent, No. 22 Broad-st.
VIRGO, Capt. BULKLEY, TUESDAY, June 1, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 3 P. M.
MURRAY, FERRIS & CO., Agents, No. 61 and 63 South-st.
GENERAL BARNES, Capt. MORTON, THURSDAY, June 3, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 3 P. M.
LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents, No. 22 Liberty-st.
SAN SALVADOR, Capt. HICKMOTT, SATURDAY, June 5, from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 4 Bowling-green.
LEO, Capt. DEARBORN, TUESDAY, June 8, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 3 P. M.
MURRAY, FERRIS & CO., Agents, Nos. 61 and 63 South-st.

FOR MOBILE.
VIA FERNANDINA ROUTE.
The Florida Railroad Company will dispatch the steamer
ALABAMA, Captain LOTHROPE,
ON WEDNESDAY, May 26, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 20 North River, foot of Warren-st. Cargo delivered without lighterage at Mobile. In new receiving. Insurance guaranteed at one cent and a half per cent. To Mobile, through rates and bills of lading given to Selma, Montgomery, and all points in the interior at lower rates than any other line.
Elegant cabin accommodations for passengers going to Florida or the Gulf ports.
For freight or passage, apply to
J. P. PATTERSON, Agent, No. 177 West-st.

CONSIGNEES OF CARGO PER AUSTRIAN bark *Figlio Maggiore*, from Marseilles, are hereby notified not to sign any average bond, or other document, unless presented by us or our authorized agents; nor to accept freight, or surrender the same to, or in any way acquiesce in, or sanction the proceedings of the Master, or any one acting under him, against which both the insurers and ourselves have already protested, and will not be sanctioned.
F. VICTOR & ACHILLIS, Agents of Charterers and Consignees of the vessel.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.—Official passports of the Department of State issued by A. C. WILLARDSON, United States District Clerk's Office, No. 41 Chambers-st.

RAILROADS.

From Twenty-third-st.	From Chambers-st.	
6.30 A. M.	6.45 A. M.	For Dover.
8.00 A. M.	8.00 A. M.	Day Express, for Rochester, Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland, Cincinnati and all points West and South. Sleeping Coaches attached from New-York to Meadville and Salamanca. Sleeping Coaches attached from Susquehanna to Buffalo.
11.30 A. M.	11.30 A. M.	Way Train, daily, for Port Jervis and intermediate stations.
12.00 M.	12.00 M.	For Hackensack and Paterson.
1.00 P. M.	1.00 P. M.	For Piermont and Monsey.
1.30 P. M.	1.45 P. M.	Daily for Paterson.
3.30 P. M.	3.30 P. M.	Way Train, for Middletown and intermediate stations. Also for Piermont.
4.00 P. M.	4.00 P. M.	For Paterson and Hackensack.
4.00 P. M.	4.15 P. M.	For Piermont and Monsey.
4.30 P. M.	4.30 P. M.	Orange County Express, stopping only at Sterling Junction, Turner's, and stations west of Turner's, (except Otisville), for Newburgh, Walkwill, Montgomery, Unionville and Port Jervis.
6.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.	Way Train, for Suffern and intermediate stations. Also for Hackensack.
5.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.	For Piermont and Monsey.
5.30 P. M.	5.30 P. M.	Night Express, daily, for Buffalo, Dunkirk, Cleveland, Cincinnati, and all points West and South. Sleeping Coaches attached from New-York to Buffalo.
6.00 P. M.	6.00 P. M.	Way Train, for Suffern and intermediate stations. Also for Hackensack.
6.30 P. M.	6.30 P. M.	Night Express, daily, for all points West and South. By this train Sleeping Coaches will run through to Buffalo, Rochester, Cleveland and Cincinnati, without change.
6.30 P. M.	6.45 P. M.	For Paterson and Hackensack.
8.30 P. M.	8.30 P. M.	For Piermont.
8.00 P. M.	8.00 P. M.	Piermont Train, daily, for the Piermont.
11.30 P. M.	11.30 P. M.	Theatre Train, for Suffern and intermediate stations.
12.00 Mid.	12.00 Mid.	Saturdays only, Theatre train for Piermont.

Tickets can be obtained, and orders for the checking and transfer of baggage may be left at the Company's offices, Nos. 241 and 707 (corner 23d-st. and 7th-ave.), Broadway, and at Cortlandt-st. ferry-house, foot of Cortlandt-st., New-York, and at Long Dock Depot, Jersey City.
J. L. DUCHER, Gen'l Sup't. WM. R. BARR, Gen'l Pass. Agent.

1869.
LONG BRANCH AND SEA SHORE RAILROAD.
This favorite route will be resumed for the season, on SATURDAY, June 5, 1869, with the splendid steamboat
MAGENTA, Captain JOHN MADDEN,
leaving New-York from pier No. 2 North River, (north side of pier foot of Hardey-st.) daily, (Sundays excepted), at.....P. M.
Leaving Long Branch at.....7:45 A. M.
Passengers can take the steamer only at pier No. 4 North River at 4:15 P. M., and on the morning trip up.
Fare each way.....$1 00
Excursion tickets.....$1 50
Commutation—One month, $10; two months, $18; three months, $25.
On Wednesdays and Saturdays there will be an extra train from Long Branch to New-York at 6:30 P. M., landing at pier No. 2 about 8 P. M.
On and after July 1 two trains per day will be run each way.
Horses, carriages and general freight transported.
R. PAUL, Superintendent.

SOUTH SIDE RAILROAD OF LONG ISLAND.
CHANGE OF TIME.
On and after May 15, 1869,
The trains will leave by the Roosevelt and Grand-st. Ferries, New-York, as follows:
8.00 A. M. main for Patchogue and all stations.
3.45 P. M. express to Patchogue.
(Passengers will be ticketed through by this train to Bellport and Fireplace, via stage from Patchogue.)
4.30 P. M. to Babylon and Babylon.
6.30 P. M. to Merrick and way stations.
Summer arrangement will be made June 1, 1869.
ROBERT WHITE, Superintendent.

NEW-YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD.
CHANGE OF TIME.
MONDAY, April 26, 1869, Express trains will leave 26th-st. and 42d-st. at 7 A. M. and 4 P. M. for Albany, Troy, Pittsfield, &c., and Chatham Mail train will leave at 10 A. M., and Pawling train at 4:15 P. M.
J. C. BUCKHOUT, Supt., &c.
New-York, April 22, 1869.

NORTHERN RAILROAD OF NEW-JERSEY.—Trains will leave New-York by the Pavonia Ferry, foot of Chambers-st., as follows: 6:45 A. M., 8, 9:30, 11:15, 2:15 and 5:30 P. M. and at 12, midnight, on Saturdays. The 9 A. M. and 5, 4:15 and 5:15 P. M. trains run through to Monsey.
MAY 17, 1869.

STEAMBOATS.

NEW-HAVEN STEAM TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.—For New-Haven.—Low fare, quick time. The steamer STATE OF MAINE, Captain R. P. Crowell, having been thoroughly refitted, leaves New-York from Pier No. 35 East River, (Peck-slip,) DAILY at 5 P. M. Fare 75 cents. Freight taken at low rates.
D. WILLIAMS, General Superintendent.

REGULAR SUNDAY MORNING BOAT to Newburgh, Cornwall and West Point.—The favorite steamer SLEEPY HOLLOW, Captain J. SHERRIS, will commence her regular Sunday trips from the foot of Vesey-st., North River, on the season, leaving Fulton Ferry, Brooklyn, at 9 o'clock; Christopher-st., North River, at 9:20, and 24th-st., North River, at 9:40 o'clock, allowing two hours at Newburg. Tickets for the excursion, $1.

STEAMER ARRIENNA.—NEW-YORK, April 6, 1869.—Since running in place of steamer MARY POWELL, SATURDAY, May 1, litts for Cornwall, West Point, Cornwall, Newburg, Milton, Poughkeepsie and Rhinebeck, leaving pier 43 Dey-st., every afternoon at 3:30. The POWELL will occupy the route as soon as repaired.

FOR GLEN COVE AND ROSLYN—LANDING at White Store, Mayer Dock, (Pembroke's), Glen Cove, Bayville, Cold Spring, Oyster Bay and Bayville, daily at 4:15 P. M. from Pier No. 14 East River, first below Wall-st., touching at 27th-st. at 4:30. Fare to 27th-st. 50c., to all other landings 60c. Barney & Bearing's Huntington and Oyster Bay Express on board.

STEAMBOAT SUNNYSIDE.—THE NEW 200 TON STEAMBOAT SUNNYSIDE, having been copped and gilded, will resume her route on the North River June 1.
Leaving New-York at 4 P. M., and returning will leave Grassy Point at 6½ A. M.

FOR CHARTER FOR EXCURSIONS.—The fine side-wheel steamboat STAMFORD is in good order and ready for steamboat STAMFORD is in good order and ready for excursions. Apply at the office of the Bridgeport Steamboat Company, Pier No. 8 East River.

FOR NORWALK AND DANBURY.—The steamer NELLY WHITE leaves daily foot of Market-st., at 8:45, and Peck-slip at 3 P. M.

FOR NEW-HAVEN AND HARTFORD, &c.—Pier 35, East River, leave Peck-slip for New-Haven at 3:30 and 11 P. M., connecting with Hartford.

STEAMBOATS.

FOR BOSTON
VIA
NEWPORT AND FALL RIVER.
NARRAGANSETT STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
THE
WORLD-RENOWNED STEAMERS
BRISTOL and PROVIDENCE,
CAPT. BRAYTON, CAPT. SIMMONS,
WILL LEAVE (Alternate Days) DAILY,
FROM PIER NO. 2 NORTH RIVER,
(Foot of Murray-st.)
—AT 5 P. M.—
DODWORTH'S CELEBRATED ORCHESTRA, including brass, string and reed bands, will be attached to each steamer on his passage.
Grand Promenade Concert
EVERY EVENING.
THIS IS THE ONLY LINE RUNNING A SUNDAY NIGHT STEAMER.
JAMES FISK, Jr., Managing Director.
M. B. SIMONS, General Superintendent.
CHAS. H. VAILE, General Passenger Agent.

STONINGTON LINE,
TO BOSTON AND PROVIDENCE.
GREAT INSIDE ROUTE—SHORTEST AND MOST DIRECT.
Fare always as low as by any other line.
The new and elegant side-wheel steamers
STONINGTON and NARRAGANSETT,
Capt. WM. H. JONES..... Capt. GEO. E. HULL,
From Pier No. 35, foot of Jay-st., North River, at 5 P. M.
Arriving ahead of all other lines.
Tickets sold and state-rooms secured at No. 2 Astor House, and at Dodd's Express office, No. 944 Broadway.
H. S. BABCOCK, President Stonington Steamboat Company.

PEOPLE'S LINE FOR ALBANY.
THE LARGEST AND MOST MAGNIFICENT RIVER STEAMERS IN THE WORLD.
THE ST. JOHN, DREW AND DEAN RICHMOND.
One of the above steamers will leave Pier No. 41 North River EVERY AFTERNOON (Sunday's excepted) at 5 o'clock, arriving at Albany in time to connect with railroad trains West and North. Returning, leave the Albany Steamboat Landing at 7 o'clock P. M., or on the arrival of connecting trains from the West and North. Through tickets can be obtained at the office on the wharf, and baggage checked to its destination. Freight received until the hour of departure.

THE STEAMER SEA BIRD WILL leave New-York, foot of Warren-st., for Shrewsbury and Long Branch,
AS FOLLOWS:
LEAVE NEW-YORK. LEAVE RED BANK.
Monday, May 24, 3:30 P. M. Tuesday, May 25, 7 A. M.
Tuesday, May 25, 3 P. M. Wed'sday, May 26, 1 A. M.
Wed'sday, May 26, 3:30 P. M. Thur'day, May 27, 7:30 A. M.
Thursday, May 27, 4:30 P. M. Friday, May 28, 9 A. M.
Saturday, May 29, 10 A. M. Monday, May 31, 9 A. M.

ALBANY AND TROY.—THE DAY LINE Adopts C. VEBEARD and D. DREW will commence their passages to Albany, on MONDAY, May 31. Leaves Desbrosses, at 7 A. M. and 3:45 P. M., at full, connecting with the New-York Central, Rensselaer and Saratoga and Susquehanna Railroads for all points North and West. Landing at West Point, Newburgh, Poughkeepsie, Rhinebeck, Catskill and Hudson.

FOR BRIDGEPORT, AND POINTS East on Housatonic and Naugatuck Railroads, &c.—Fare $1. Steamers leave Catharine-slip at 12 noon and 3:30 P. M.; leave 34th-st., East River, at 3:40 P. M.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of JOHN GAMBLE DEGEN, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Adoniram J. Dexter, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 4th day of June, 1869, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of John Fitch, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, No. 71 Beekman-st., in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, on the 8th day of May, 1869.
GEO. F. BETTS, Clerk.
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IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of WILLIAM A. BRUBLE, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by William A. Bruble, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 8th day of June, 1869, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the office of James P. Dwight, Register in Bankruptcy, No. 71 Beekman-st., in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, on the 12th day of May, 1869.
GEO. F. BETTS, Clerk.
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IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of MOSES N. WISEWELL, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court, by Moses N. Wisewell, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 19th day of June, 1869, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the office of Mr. Edgar Ketchum, Register in Bankruptcy, No. 93 Nassau-st., in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, on the 20th day of May, 1869.
my27-law3wTh GEO. F. BETTS, Clerk.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of PIERRE GIRAUD, bankrupt.—Take notice.—The undersigned, having applied to the Court for a discharge from his debts: By order of the Court, Notice is hereby given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, that the 8th day of June, A. D. 1869, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at Chambers of the said District Court, before Isaac Dayton, one of the Registers of the said Court in Bankruptcy, at his office, No. 32 Broadway, in the City of New-York, Room No. 4, and show cause why the prayer of the said petition of the bankrupt should not be granted, and why a discharge should not be granted to the said bankrupt.—Dated New-York, 6th May, 1869.
my24-law3wTh GEO. F. BETTS, Clerk.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of AMBROSE STEVENS, bankrupt.—Take notice.—The undersigned, bankrupts having applied to the Court for a discharge from his debts: By order of the Court, Notice is hereby given to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, that the 8th day of June, A. D. 1869, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at Chambers of the said District Court, before Isaac Dayton, one of the Registers of the said Court in Bankruptcy, at his office, No. 32 Broadway, in the City of New-York, Room No. 4, and show cause why the prayer of the said petition of the bankrupt should not be granted, and why a discharge should not be granted to the said bankrupt.—Dated New-York, 6th March, 1869.
my24-law3wTh GEO. F. BETTS, Clerk.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States, Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of FREDERICK LEWIS, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Frederick Lewis, of New-York City, in said District, duly declared a bankrupt, under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 22d of June, A. D. 1869, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of James P. Dwight, Register in Bankruptcy, No. 71 Beekman-st., in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest, may attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, on the 25th day of May, 1869.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Assignee, my27-law2wTh No. 127 Broadway.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of EDWARD T. WOOD, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Edward T. Wood, of the City of Brooklyn, in the County of Kings, carried on business in the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged bankrupt upon his own petition, praying for the benefit of said district.—Dated at New-York, the 27th day of May, 1869.
EDWARD W. RACHAU, Assignee.
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SUBPŒNEES CORNET MANUFACTURING.—In Bankruptcy.—John Fitch, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, in and for said district, hereby gives notice that a meeting of the creditors of the Subpœnee Cornet Manufacturing Company, that the second meeting of creditors will be held at the office of John Fitch, Esq., Register, No. 44 Wall-st., New-York, on the 21st day of June, 1869, at 10 o'clock.
HENRY C. VAIL, Assignee.
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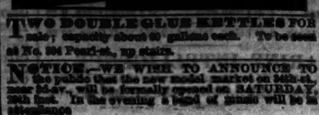
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of New-Jersey.—In the matter of FRANCIS PATTERSON and LUKE PATTERSON, bankrupts.—The undersigned hereby give notice of the appointment as assignee of Francis Patterson and Luke Patterson, who have been adjudged bankrupts upon their own petition, by the District Court of said district.—Dated New-York, May 22, 1869.
JAMES L. FLINT, Assignee, my27-law2wTh No. 38 Broadway.

MISCELLANEOUS.



TWO DOUBLE GLUE KETTLES FOR sale; capacity about 60 gallons each. To be seen at No. 104 Front-st., up stairs.

NOTICE.—WE WISH TO ANNOUNCE TO the public that the new model market on 14th-st. and 2d-ave. will be formally opened on SATURDAY, 29th inst. In the evening a band of music will be in attendance.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

A MARRIED COUPLE, OR A GENTLEMAN and wife, can find a home with a private family; board and lodging; terms moderate. Apply at the brown-stone house, No. 40 East 14th-st., between Broadway and 4th-ave.

SUITES OF SUPERIOR FURNISHED ROOMS to rent to gentlemen, with breakfast, or dinner and private table, if desired, in a private family, in 34th-st., convenient to the Post-Office and business place; terms from $15 to $20 per week. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 3 Park-ave.

No. 316 EAST 25TH-ST., HANDSOME parlor and alcove on the second floor front to let to gentleman and wife; also, front room on the third floor; this is a nice house for a respectable party; no children taken; dinner at 6; reference.

No. 14 (OLD NO. 56) 7TH-AV., BETWEEN 14th and 15th sts.—Three handsomely-furnished rooms on second floor; also large room on third floor and bath rooms, with first-class board; single classes; best of references required.

No. 555 6TH-AV.—TO LET, FURNISHED rooms, singly or en suite; the house is fitted up in first-class style; the Broadway, 8th-av. and crosstown cars pass the door. For particulars apply on the premises, to Mrs. JOHN F. BODMAN.

A SMALL, PRIVATE AMERICAN family can accommodate a gentleman with a very neatly-furnished room, with board, at No. 8 West 11th-st., between 5th and 6th ave. Reference exchanged.

FURNISHED BED AND ADJOINING sitting-room to let for a single gentleman, in a private family, in West 16th-st., between 5th and 6th ave., with or without board. Address Mr. FRANCIS, bookstore, Astor-place.

WANTED—FROM 1ST JUNE, FOR THE Summer, without board, one large bedroom, with bath-room attached, between 14th and 23d sts., 4th and 6th ave. Address Box No. 311, Post Office, giving terms and location.

SECOND FLOOR PARLOR AND bedroom, handsomely furnished, to let, without board, at No. 15 University-place. References required and given.

A HANDSOMELY-FURNISHED PARlor and bedroom on second floor to let, to a gentleman, with or without breakfast, at No. 246 4th-av., opposite Dr. Bellows' church; also, an upper bedroom.

A PRIVATE FAMILY IN EAST 27TH-st., near Lexington-av., would accommodate two gentlemen with furnished rooms and breakfast if desired. Address P. P., Box No. 1,257 Post Office.

ONE OR TWO ROOMS, VERY PLEASant for the Summer months, with first-class board, in a family of adults, at moderate prices. No. 216 West 15th-st.

No. 91 6TH-ST., NEAR BREVOORT House, 5th-av.—Handsomely furnished rooms, suitable for families or single gentlemen, to rent, with or without board. References required.

No. 1,170 BROADWAY, OPPOSITE THE Coleman House, an elegantly furnished floor of four rooms; bath, hot and cold water, &c.; will be divided if desired; also a front room.

SEVENTEENTH-ST.—ELEGANT ROOMS, without board, for gentlemen only. No. 104 East 17th-st., between Irving-place and Union-square.

BROOKLYN—PLEASANT ROOMS, WITH or without board. No. 4 Sands-st., two minutes from the ferry.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—FROM $5 to $25 per week, No. 1,168 Broadway, between 27th and 28th sts.

TWO OR THREE NICELY-FURnished rooms to rent in a private family, on moderate terms. No. 2 West 19th-st., first house from 5th-av.

ELEGANTLY-FURNISHED ROOMS to let without board. No. 67 West 16th-st. Good restaurants near by.

A PRIVATE FAMILY AT NO. 48 West 12th-st. can accommodate three gentlemen with excellent board. Modest prices required.

NO. 149 EAST 21ST-ST.—LARGE AIRY, well-furnished rooms to let, with or without board, in a first-class house, opposite Gramercy Park.

NO. 19 WEST 11TH-ST.—SUITES AND single rooms, first-class board, $30 to $40 per week; day boarders taken.

LARGE AND ELEGANTLY-FURNISHED rooms with board, second floor. No. 36 7th-av. Inquire for Mrs. BUSSING or Mrs. TUTTLE.

TWO YOUNG LADIES CAN BE ACCOMmodated with board and pleasant room for $3 22 a week, at No. 320 East 23d-st. Third floor, in front.

NO. 200 WEST 23D-ST.—FIRST-CLASS board, rooms en suite or single, for gentlemen and their wives, or single gentlemen; Summer rates.

NO. 87 CLINTON-PLACE—TO LET TO gentlemen or families with board, suite of rooms on second floor; also rooms on third and fourth floors.

NO. 21 WEST 22D-ST.—FURNISHED OR unfurnished apartments for gentlemen only, without board.

A FRONT AND BACK ROOM ON second floor to let, with or without board. Apply at No. 74 Lexington-av.

TWELFTH-ST.—HANDSOME ROOMS, with or without board, or private table. 55 West 12th-st.

NO. 97 CLINTON-PLACE—FIRST-CLASS rooms en suite, with board; Summer prices.

NO. 195 5TH-AV.—ROOMS TO LET, WITH or without board.

COUNTRY BOARD.

COUNTRY BOARD—EIGHTY MILES from the City, opposite Hyde Park, 2 miles from North River; location high and healthy; farm house well shaded; good table; pleasant rooms; terms moderate; mineral springs on the place. Address H. E. Esopus, Ulster County, N. Y.

FIRST-CLASS BOARD, FOR JUNE or the season, near Cozzens' West Point Hotel; ample grounds; abundance fresh fruit and vegetables; terms low. Address J. A. MEARNS, 52, Highland Balls, Orange County, N. Y.

BOARD WANTED—FOR A GENTLEMAN, wife and infant, in Newark, near Morris and Essex Railro

BENCH AND BAR.

Relations of Judges and Lawyers, as Illustrated in the Pearsall-O'Connor Case.

Explanations from Judge Cardozo—Spirited Card from Lawyer Townsend.

The Women Discharged on the Affidavits Originally Presented and Denied—The Infant Child Never an Inmate of Mrs. Pearsall's House.

Proceedings in the Courts.

The following statement was made by Judge CARDOZO yesterday, soon after the opening of the Court. He said:

"It is proper I should say that after the adjournment yesterday it was intimated to me that Mr. TOWNSEND was under the impression that he had been cut off from replying to Mr. GRAHAM. I did not see him take any notes as if he intended to answer, though I understand that he did so. But I did not observe it, and the District-Attorney and several others confirmed my impression that there was not any disposition on his part to reply. I thought I waited long enough to enable him to speak if he wished, though of course I may have been mistaken. I had not the slightest intention to prevent his speaking, and had he addressed me even after I commenced my remarks, I should certainly have stopped and listened to him, not only as a matter of duty, but because his respectful statement in the morning had removed much that was disagreeable, and left upon my mind the impression that whatever there was to censure was probably all the result of error of judgment. As soon as I learned of the mistake, I wrote a note stating the fact, and offering to afterwards an opportunity to reply to Mr. GRAHAM; and I feel sure that if Mr. TOWNSEND will be satisfied with hearing him in open Court, he will be prompt, also, to say that when I sent word to him to come into Court later in the day, which he elected not to do, considering that the matter was adjourned, it was because I did not so understand it. I did not state that the matter would be adjourned to this morning, but that I would dispose of it during yesterday. I will now dispose of the case.

In re Pearsall, &c.—I have very carefully considered the affidavits which have been submitted to me on the contempt case. I do not feel entirely convinced that they thoroughly purge the prisoners from all complicity in the crime of assisting the guardian to take the child from the jurisdiction of the Court, and yet I am of opinion that they are sufficient to counterbalance the evidence which raises a presumption of their guilt, and to present the case in such a light that were the prisoners being tried before me at the Oyer and Terminer, I should feel bound to say that upon the whole evidence, the affidavit on which I denied the warrant, the facts which I believe the prosecution can prove, and the oaths of the prisoners which are now in evidence, they ought not to be convicted. Being of that opinion, I think I should best performing my duty in this branch of the case by discharging them.

On the other charge, on which they have waived an examination, it is only necessary to say that I will bail them in the sum of $1,000 each.

During the morning one JAMES KOPKE appeared before the Court and offered to become bail for these women in the sum of $1,000 each, to answer the charge of keeping a disorderly house. KOPKE was examined by Assistant District-Attorney BLUNT as to his qualifications to become surety for their appearance. He swore that he is by occupation a butcher; that he owns the house and lot No. 73 Sullivan-street, which at the present time is worth $20,000. Four years ago he paid $8,000 for the house.

The Court, after consideration, decided to take this man's security for the appearance of JOHANNA O'CONNOR, and she was therefore discharged. As to ANNA E. PEARSALL, the decision was that KOPKE would be taken as bail temporarily, but she must furnish other security on or before Friday next.

Thus the matter stands at present.

Mr. Townsend's Statement.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

On the 12th of May, inst., a gentleman called at my office and stated to me that he had been referred to me by two very respectable gentlemen at the Bar. He came, as he said, in behalf of two women who had been confined in the Tombs by commitment of Justice CARDOZO, for an alleged contempt of the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, and had been thus confined since the evening of the 7th inst., without a hearing, and without knowing the nature of the contempt with which they were charged. He further stated that two or three lawyers had undertaken their case, but had been intimidated by the threats of Justice CARDOZO, and had retired from the case. (This was subsequently confirmed by one of these gentlemen, who stated to me the language used to him by the Justice.) My visitor proceeded to say that prominent politicians and others had been to Justice CARDOZO in behalf of the women, and that to one or more he had replied, that "they should rot in jail unless they produced the child." I saw nothing that should prevent me from accepting their case, and I did so. I called the same day at the Tombs, and learned that there was a further charge against them of "keeping a bawdy house." I drew their affidavits at the time, and shortly afterward handed them to Judge CARDOZO as he sat upon the bench. After looking at the headings he called me upon the bench and had the conversation with me which has already been given to the public. After leaving Justice CARDOZO's Court-room I concluded to ask the opinions of brother members of the Bar as to my professional duty in the case, and to that end, while I had no doubt in my own mind what I ought to do, I consulted with several respectable and experienced lawyers. I am happy to say that in no one instance have Mr. GRAHAM and I received other advice than what I myself had conceived to be my duty. It is proper for me to say here that I had been informed by the women that Justice CARDOZO had told one of the lawyers who had been called upon prior to my taking the case, that he had seen the different Judges in the City, and that if any person should apply to them for a writ of *habeas corpus* the writ would be made returnable before him. On the same morning I applied to Justice SUTHERLAND to learn whether there was any truth in the statement, and was informed by him that Justice CARDOZO had spoken to him about the case of two women, and that while he did not remember exactly what his reply was, yet he thought he had replied in a manner which led Justice CARDOZO to suppose that he would make such a writ returnable before him. He, therefore, preferred not to make the writ returnable before himself. On the following morning I applied to Mr. Justice CLERKE, at Chambers, and asked him if there was any reason why he could not make a writ of *habeas corpus*, returnable before himself, in the matter of these two women. He asked me the names of the women, and then taking a paper from the drawer in front of him, and looking at it, said: "A writ on behalf of those women must be returned before Justice CARDOZO." Believing that it would be useless to apply further, I took out the writ and made it returnable before Justice CARDOZO on the 12th instant, and on the same day, about 1 o'clock, had served upon the District Attorney a copy of the writ. To Justice CARDOZO I wrote a note stating that I felt it to be my duty to remain in the case, and that I had taken out writs of *habeas corpus* for my client, which were returnable before him on the following morning at 10 o'clock.

The proceedings of the following day in Court are fully set forth in the daily papers of the 13th instant. On that day, without our consent and against our will, upon the mere suggestion of the District Attorney that he wanted time to look at the case, when it was well known to Justice CARDOZO that all the evidence, if there was any, in regard to the question of contempt was in his own possession, the matter was adjourned for a week.

The application upon my part to be heard upon the legality of the commitments which were then before the Court was refused, and we were obliged to sit and listen to a speech from Justice CARDOZO, which was alike insulting to me, indelicate in him, and utterly unnecessary with the matter before him. On my rising to offer the exceptions to his ruling, and to ask whether any return had been made to the writ of certiorari, I was peremptorily directed to cease speaking.

Upon the adjourned day (the 21st inst.) I found arrayed against me, in effect, if not in fact, the District Attorney, Mr. A. J. PARKER, Mr. SHEA and Mr. JOHN GRAHAM. Of course I felt once strengthened, as the natural conclusion arose that if Justice CARDOZO required so much bolstering his position must be weak. I was simply demanding a hearing for the two women, and that, or their discharge upon the contempt matter, I was determined to have at all hazards. The papers of the 22d inst. will furnish the particulars of that day's proceedings, and I am sure that I will be borne out by my professional brethren when I say that, considering the unquestionable justice in my demand, it was a more contemptible piece of petfogging was never witnessed in a Court of justice. Neither Mr. SHEA nor Mr. STOUGHTON took part in it, and I quite misunderstand the character of these gentlemen if they did not feel themselves quite out of place. The writs and returns were taken by Justice CARDOZO and the matter again adjourned, without setting any day for the hearing of the charges, until the 25th instant, the Justice stating that upon this day he would fix a day for the examination and then give judgment upon the questions which had arisen upon the returns to the *habeas corpus*. As the Justice had decided every question on that day in favor of his lawyer, I could foretell what would be his decision on the 25th, so to prevent my being blocked in any future application I might have to make to some other Judge for a writ of *habeas corpus*, when the answer could be set up that it was *res adjudicata*, I had served upon Justice CARDOZO and the District-Attorney a notice of which the following is a copy:

In the matter of Anna E. Pearsall and Johanna Connor, called in the commitments Mary Pearsall—Contempt.

[illegible] four hours from her custody [illegible] for some [illegible] convict in Philadelphia.

With reference to the complicity of either Mrs. PEARSALL or Miss O'CONNOR with the mother's evasion with her child, it is [illegible] to be for these minority-crushed young [illegible] it will be shown by substantial proof that, on or before, the child had nothing to do with it, and was ignorant of their going away.

It may be further observed that events have proven every word of their first card to be true. Judge CARDOZO did attempt to prevent their counsel from appearing for them; did by his influence with other Judges procure the writ to be returnable before himself; holds them still, and has returned to the present time given the prisoners a hearing; holds them still in custody, and no evidence whatever has been produced against them.

THE PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLIES.

The Question of Reunion to be Decided To-Day.

The Old School—Sixth Day.

Both Assemblies held a joint service of devotional exercises in the Church of the Covenant. After this the Old School Assembly returned to the Brick Church and resumed business.

DISABLED MINISTERS' FUND.

Rev. Dr. W. R. MARSHALL, from the Committee on the Disabled Ministers' Fund, presented the report of the Board.

The Secretary, Rev. Dr. GEORGE HALE, showed that the present plan is working well. It has been developed during many years, and the past year the Churches have contributed $94,000 for disabled ministers and the needy widows and orphans of deceased ministers.

E. J. FOX, Esq., desires to see every church in the land give money to raise at once a permanent fund of $100,000 for this object.

REPRESENTATIVES FROM OTHER CHURCHES.

Rev. Dr. BLACKWOOD, Chairman of the Committee on Correspondence, introduced several ministers and elders, who were then heard as representatives from corresponding bodies.

REUNION.

Dr. MUSGRAVE, from the Committe on Reunion, reported that it has produced a unanimous report, [great applause,] which, we believe, will be unanimously adopted by both Assemblies. The Assembly ordered that the report on Reunion be heard on Thursday (to-morrow) at 10:30 A. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The delegates from the New School body were received, the whole Assembly rising to their feet and are remaining until the delegates had shaken hands with the Moderator. They are Rev. Dr. WM. ADAMS and Hon. WM. E. DODGE.

Dr. ADAMS expressed awe at the thought that this is probably the last time when such an interchange of courtesies can occur for such an interchange is about to yield to interblending. [Prolonged applause.] As to reunion, it is easier to tear than to heal. A child can tear a rose from the plant, but no man can place it back. God alone can do this. I had no faith three years ago that this reunion could be brought about. Dr. BEATTY, who then said he would see it from a height of Heaven, now expects to behold it as a day dawn. We know of nothing on your part that can make reunion desirable particularly on worldly grounds. You are strong enough. So are we. Our reason is the glory of our common Lord. We all, you and we, believe in the foreordination of events, and when God ordains is for his glory. So we, like streams flowing through different soils, may unite, and by mutual effervescence purify each other. Let our union be from the soul.

Hon. WM. E. DODGE, the other delegate, congratulated the Church that it is soon to be no more.

The Moderator said: The Presbyterian Church in the United States opens her arms to receive the Presbyterian Church in the United States. [Laughter.]

Hon. W. E. DODGE said a prominent Methodist said to him that if the prayers of our denomination were only as strong for the reunion as the prayers in their churches last week were, it would certainly come.

THE POPE'S ENCYCLICAL LETTER.

Rev. C. W. STEWART moved that the Committee of Bills and Overtures report on the propriety of replying to the Pope's encyclical letter. This was adopted.

The New School—Sixth Day.

At 9:30 o'clock the Moderator called the New School Assembly to order for the transaction of business.

The Chair announced that one of the delegates, HORATIO G. TORBERT, M. D., of the Utica Presbytery, was missing since Tuesday morning. He then left No. 181 Lexington-avenue, and had not since been heard from. His friends are alarmed for his personal safety.

Rev. Dr. CANFIELD presented the report of the Standing Committee on Ministerial Relief, from which it appears that a layman had during the past year contributed $6,300 toward raising a permanent fund of $200,000, to be used for the relief of needy ministers. The Committee recommended that an annual collection be taken up in each church for this purpose.

The report was adopted.

Rev. Dr. HUMPHREY, from the Committee on Home Missions, reported that investigation proved that a large proportion of the immigrants landing here were Protestants; that this ratio of Protestant immigration will continue. The Committee also recommend that the matter of extending the Church receive the consideration of the Presbyteries, and that increased exertions be put forward in aid of Christianizing the Chinese on the Pacific Coast.

Rev. Mr. MITCHELL, from the Committee on Freedmen, (a sub-committee of the Home Missions Committee), reported that seven missionaries and 100 teachers were now employed among the freedmen; that $15,000 was subscribed for their support last year—the contributions being from only 120 churches out of 1,600; that $150,000 was necessary to carry on the work during the coming year.

Rev. HENRICK JOHNSON, from the Committee on Church Erection, reported that 1,000 churches failed to contribute to the fund, although the need of more houses of worship was imperative; that $300,000 was needed to aid in the building of churches for needy congregations, and recommended that a collection be taken up in all the churches for this purpose.

Rev. Dr. HUNTINGTON presented the report of the Education Committee. It avers that three-fourths of the ministers gave aid to the ministerial education cause last year; that 218 candidates for the ministry were relieved. The Committee recommend that Rev. Drs. SEWARD, POOR, WICKES and BEEBEDICT, and Mr. D. W. JAMES be appointed as the Committee on Education for the ensuing year.

The last-mentioned three reports were accepted and the subjects embraced therein considered together. Debate ensued as to adopting the recommendation of the Committees, when, on motion, the further consideration of the matter was postponed till the afternoon session.

Rev. Dr. FISHER, from the Joint Special Committee on Reunion, announced that that Committee would be ready to present its report today, (Thursday,) at 10:30 o'clock A. M., and that it was the desire of the Committee to have the consideration of the subject made the special order for that hour. The Assembly agreed to the request.

The Assembly then adjourned till the afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Assembly met at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Rev. Dr. BOORN moved that the report of the representatives to the Presbyterian Church in Ireland and the Free Church in Scotland be taken up for consideration at 9:30 A. M. to-day.

Rev. DAVID MAGEE, from the Committee on the Narrative of Religion, presented that Committee's report. One-fifth of the presbyteries failed to present any report to the Committee as to the state of religion among them. The report speaks highly, however, of the increase of religious interest among the eighty-eight presbyteries whose narratives were in the hands of the Committee. Nearly all of these, especially the Western presbyteries, hope for a reunion of the Church.

Twenty-nine new Churches were organized during the year; one hundred and thirty-nine had powerful revivals; in many of them over fifty converts united themselves with the Presbyterian communion. The average of conversions was six to each Church in the country. Seven hundred and fifty Churches have only stated supplies, only one-third of all the Churches having regular pastors. The Committee also report thirty-four deaths among the ministry during the past year. The report was accepted and adopted.

The regular order of business being the reception of Rev. Dr. ORMISTON, representative to this Assembly from the Canada Presbyterian Church, the Moderator introduced that gentleman, who spoke for an hour as to the condition of the Canadian Church, which he said was highly prosperous. It has 18 presbyteries, 386 congregations, 300 ministers, two theological seminaries, 15,000 communicants, 1,400 elders and 600 Sunday School teachers. One-fifth of the population in the Province of Ontario, where he is located, are Presbyterians. He claimed for the Church in Canada the same lineage that was the boast of the American Church, and hoped that the time was not far distant when there would be a United Presbyterian Church of North America. Then no more question of Alsatian claims, nor foolish Indian raise, would ever divide them.

The Moderator briefly replied to the Doctor's address, after which the discussion as to adopting the three reports that were under consideration during the morning was continued, pending which the Assembly adjourned to 9:30 A. M. today.

Meeting of Fire Commissioners.

The Board of Fire Commissioners met at Firemen's Hall yesterday, Mr. SEALER presiding. A new method for ringing fire alarm bells, by L. HOLMES, and a model of a patent fire escape, by L. H. FITZHUGH, were submitted for examination. Attention was called to an engine now running at his office without oil and at a saving of power, with a view of ascertaining if the discovery was not of some importance to the Board. A communication was also received from H. K. VAN VAST, Foreman of Engine Company No. 18, stating that there was an attempt to defraud him of a reward of $100, which was offered for the conviction of a Persons, who set fire to the premises No. [illegible] Greene-street, on the 7th inst.

Rising Sunday Meeting of Society—Proceedings at the Opening of the Society's House.

The regular meeting of the Long Island Historical Society was held in the chapel of the Packer Institute on Tuesday evening, Judge GREENWOOD presiding. Mr. HENRY ONDERDONK, Jr., of Jamaica, read an interesting paper on "The persecutions of the early Quakers of Long Island." The sketch commenced with the administration of Governor PETER STUYVESANT, of New-Netherland. In 1657, two hundred and twelve years ago, eleven Gospel messengers emigrated from England; of these there were two women who ventured to preach the truth to the people of Hempstead, and called upon them to repent them of their evil ways. These two women were arrested and submitted to such rude treatment as was meted out to prisoners at that time. Hempstead had been settled forty years earlier by a colony from New-England; hence the spirit of the settlers was anything but friendly to the Quakers at first. But ultimately the preaching of the two women became popular, probably because of the tax imposed upon the people for the support of religious worship. A Quaker named HODGSON, who was incorrigible in his determination to preach the Word, was put in prison, but was subsequently released and shipped to Rhode Island, where he punished (Governor STUYVESANT) by publishing a book giving an account of his sufferings at the hands of PETER STUYVESANT, Governor of New-England. Then followed a series of legalized persecutions, beginning with an order of the Court, presided over by one SILDERSLEVE, directing that the people be compelled to attend church under a penalty for non-compliance, one-half of which was to go to the informer. Order after order was issued, but without effect, for the people favored the Quakers. The lecturer followed his subject through the cruel endurances of the people of Flushing, Jamaica, Gravesend and other towns of Long Island. The paper was listened to with evident appreciation by a large audience. At the close a vote of thanks was given to Mr. ONDERDONK, and the meeting adjourned.

Sparrows in the City Hall Park.

Those little brown-coated grub destroyers, the English sparrows, have taken kindly to the houses provided for them in the City Hall Park, and there are now at least a hundred birds chirping and twittering among the trees. Some bird lover has erected a "bird restaurant" near the fountain, consisting of a small house, a very large table and a bath. On the table is spread a quantity of bread and grain, and here the sparrows congregate in large numbers and take their morning and evening meals. The basin of the fountain appears to be their favorite drinking and bathing place. As they are never molested in any way they have become quite tame, and hop around the feet of persons sitting on the benches in a most familiar manner.

Last year every leaf that appeared on the few remaining trees in the Park was devoured by the measure worms. This year, thanks to the sparrows, not a worm has been seen.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Wednesday, May 26—11 A. M.

There is scarcely anything doing on Change to-day, and most of the prices given below are merely nominal. Consols open at 93¾ for both money and account. United States Five-twenties, 79¾. Stocks steady; Erie, 19; Illinois, 96¾; Atlantic and Great Western, 28¾.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday, May 26—11 A. M.

COTTON—The market opens quiet. Middling Uplands, 11¼d.@11¾d.; Middling Orleans, 11¾d.@11¾d. The sales of the day are estimated at 8,000 bales.

Cotton afloat: Of American, 1,000 bales to the 22d inst., since the last report, (according to private dispatches,) have been 16,000 bales.

BREADSTUFFS—The market is firm.

LONDON, Wednesday, May 26—5:30 P. M.

Consols closed at 93¾ both for money and the account. United States Five-twenty Bonds, 79¾. Stocks—Illinois Centrals, 95¾; Erie, 19.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday, May 26.

United States Five-twenty Bonds, 80¾@80¾.

LIVERPOOL, Wednesday, May 26—5:30 P. M.

COTTON closed at 11¼d.@11¾d. for Middling Uplands, and 11¾d.@11¾d. for Middling Orleans; the sales of the day have reached 10,000 bales.

PRODUCE—Petroleum, 5¾d. ₹ gallon for Spirits.

LONDON, Wednesday, May 26—5:30 P. M.

Tallow, £2. 5d. ₹ cwt.

ANTWERP, Wednesday, May 26.

Petroleum is quiet at 48f. for Standard White.

HAVRE, Wednesday, May 26.

Cotton closed at 120f. ₹ cwt. for True Ordinaire, on the spot.

LONDON, Wednesday, May 26.

As the Derby Day is practically observed as a holiday, little business was done in Mincing-lane to-day or in Liverpool, and the commercial quotations may be considered nominal.

PARIS, Wednesday, May 26.

Bourse strong; Rentes 71f., 75c.

HAVANA, Wednesday, May 26.

The SUGAR market is active and in improved demand; sales were made to-day on the basis of 8¼@8½ reals for numbers Nos. 12 Dutch Standard. EXCHANGE—On London, 11¼@12 ₹ cent. premium; on Paris, par; on United States, 60 days' sight, in gold, ¼@¾ ₹ cent. premium; short sight, 1@1¼ ₹ cent. premium; 10 days' sight, in currency, 25@26 ₹ cent. discount; short sight, 30@35 ₹ cent. discount.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

OSWEGO, Wednesday, May 26.

FLOUR is steady but unchanged; sales 1,700 bbls. at $7 for No. 1 Spring; $7 25 for Amber Winter; $8 for White; $9 for Double Extra. WHEAT dull; sales 1,600 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 35, and 2,000 bushels fair White Canada at $1 67½. CORN is dull and lower; sales 2,000 bushels Western at 70c. OATS—None in the market. BARLEY inactive. RYE is in fair demand and the market is unchanged; sales 14,000 bushels Canadian at $1 10@$1 15. PORK is firm; sales are quiet. COMMERAL, $1 75 ₹ cwt. MILFEED unchanged. Canal FREIGHTS—Wheat, 8c.; Corn, 7½c.; Rye, 8c., to New-York; Lumber, $6 75, to the Hudson. Lake FREIGHTS—Wheat, 8c., to Buffalo; 9c., to New-York, 8c., to Albany, 8c. Lake IMPORTS—100 bbls. Flour, 1,600 bushels Wheat; 69,000 feet of Lumber. Canal EXPORTS—422 bbls. Flour, 32,100 bushels Wheat, 23,000 bushels Corn, 3,000 bushels Barley, 200 feet of Lumber. The amount of Grain on the Canal, from Buffalo and Oswego, yesterday were, as near as can be ascertained, was as follows: Wheat, 235,000 bushels; Corn, 94,000 bushels; Oats, 217,000 bushels; Rye, 6,800 bushels.

CHICAGO, Wednesday, May 26.

FLOUR dull at $4 75@$5 75 for low grades to Spring Extras. WHEAT dull and lower; sales of No. 1 at $1 18; No. 2 at $1 11@$1 12. CORN quiet and lower; sales of No. 1 at 67c. OATS dull and lower; sales of No. 2 at 34½c. RYE nominal. BARLEY dull, inactive and nominal; No. 2, at 90@$1 10. HOGS dull; sales at $7. MESS PORK inactive and nominal at $21 25@$21 50. LARD held at 15c. Dry-salted SHOULDERS, 11½c. Bulk MEATS firm at 11½c. Offers for Sweet Pickled Live Hogs heavy and lower; sales in the city at $6 75@$6 75 for fair to prime; $6 60@$6 for good to choice. CATTLE quiet at $3 50@$4 25 for common; $4 75@$5 37 for fair to medium; $5 50@$6 50 for good to choice. RECEIPTS—9,000 bbls. Flour, 52,000 bushels Wheat, 71,000 bushels Corn, 23,000 bushels Oats, 2,400 bushels Rye, 11,000 Hogs. SHIPMENTS—6,000 bbls. Flour, 16,000 bushels Wheat, 12,000 bushels Corn, 1,000 bushels Oats, 1,600 bushels Rye, 5,300 Hogs. FREIGHTS quiet and firm.

BUFFALO, Wednesday, May 26.

RECEIPTS—Wheat, 110,000 bushels; Corn, 70,000 bushels; Flour, 8,000 bbls. SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 60,000 bushels; Corn, 7,000 bushels; Oats, 14,000 bushels. FREIGHTS—Wheat, 10c.; Corn, 11c.; Oats, 7½c., to New-York. FLOUR very dull, nothing reported. WHEAT steady and fair demand; sales 80,000 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee, to arrive, part at $1 26, and part on private terms; 7,500 bushels No. 2 Milwaukee at $1 24; 25,000 bushels No. 2 Chicago at $1 18@$1 19; 10,000 bushels Canada at $1 40, delivered; closing quiet. CORN quite scarce and steady; sales 18,000 bushels, per sample, New, at 65c.; 10,000 bushels New, per sample, at 62c. OATS dull, generally held at 70c.; sales 10,000 bushels Western at 60c.@62c., by sample. RYE, BARLEY and SEEDS dull and nominal. PORK steady at $21 50. LARD steady at 14½c. Bulk MEATS—Shoulders nominally held at $1 67. Market nearly bare.

ST. LOUIS, Wednesday, May 26.

TOBACCO steady and unchanged. COTTON dull; Middlings, 26½c.@27c. FLOUR heavy; Superfine, $4@$4½; Extra, $4 75@$5; Family, $5 50@$6; Fancy and favorite brands, $6 50@$7. WHEAT demoralized; Good to Prime, $1 20@$1 27½; Choice to strictly Choice, $1 30@$1 40; Fancy, $1 70@$1 80; Spring in elevator, $1 09@$1 10; Fancy, Club, $1 14@$1 15. CORN advancing; Yellow, 72c.@73c.; White, 72c.@80c.; Mixed, 70c. OATS heavy, at 60c.@65c. BARLEY dull; Prime to Choice, $1 20@$1 35. RYE firmer at $1 07@$1 15. WHISKEY quiet at 90c.@$1. BACON firmer at 12c.@12½c. for Shoulders; 14½c. for Clear Rib Sides; 17c.@17½c. for Clear Sides. Live HOGS steady at $7 25@$7 35. RECEIPTS—Flour, 1,200 bbls.; Wheat, 45,000 bushels; Corn, 1,600 bushels; Oats, 6,800 bushels.

CINCINNATI, Wednesday, May 26.

FLOUR dull, and holders are anxious to sell at a decline of 25c.; there is but little demand; Family, $6 75@$7; Superfine, $4 75@$5; Extra, $5@$5 50; Red, at $1 20@$1 25 for No. 1 and 70c. 1 Winter Red. CORN in moderate demand at 65c.@66c. OATS in fair demand, with a light supply; sales at 60c.@62c. RYE declining and nominally at $1 10@$1 15. BARLEY is in good demand. COTTON unchanged. TOBACCO is good to fine demand; sales 300 hhds. at $5@$8. WHISKY dull at $1 01; but little demand. LARD held at 15½c.@16½c., with no sales. BULK MEATS—Shoulders, 12c.; and higher; sales 200,000 lbs. at 12½c. for Shoulders; 15c. for Sides; held higher at the close. BACON firm and in fair demand; Shoulders, 13½c.; Sides, 15½c.@16c. HAMS firm at 18½c.@20c.

NEW-ORLEANS, Wednesday, May 26.

COTTON—Market easier; Middlings, 26½c.; sales, 800 bales; receipts, 200 bales; exports 50 bales. GOLD, 139¾. EXCHANGE—Sterling, 162; New-York sight, par. FLOUR firm; Superfine, $4@$7. Double Extra, $8@$9; Treble Extra, $8@$9. CORN sound; White, 60c.@65c. OATS, 50c. HAY, $30 for prime. PORK, $23 75. BACON, 12½c.; for Shoulders; 17½c.@17¾c. for Sides. LARD—In tierces, 15½c.@16½c.; in kegs, 16½c.@17c. SUGAR—Prime, 12½c.@12¾c.; Common, 9¾c.@10¼c. MOLASSES—Rectified, 67½c.@67¾c. COFFEE unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, May 26.

COTTON unchanged. FLOUR advanced 25c.; sales 2,000 bbls.; Superfine at $5@$5 50; Extras, $5 75@$6; Northwestern Extra Family, $6@$6 75; Pennsylvania do., $6 25@$7; Ohio do., $7@$8 25; Fancy, $8@$10 50. WHEAT dull and lower; Red unchanged; Amber, $1 40; California, $1 70@$1 75. RYE steady at $1 07@$1 08. CORN advanced; Yellow, 80c. OATS—Western, 60c. PETROLEUM unchanged. GROCERIES and PROVISIONS—Nothing of consequence to report. Whiskey held at $1 02@$1 05.

TOLEDO, Wednesday, May 26.

FLOUR dull and lower; Double Extra White Wheat offered at $7 25, with no buyers. WHEAT dull, heavy and lower; Amber, $1 25 on spot and sellers May; White Michigan, $1 40; No. 1 White offered at $1 40; $1 39 bid. CORN declining; No. 1, 70c.; No. 2, 67c. OATS held at 62c., with no sales. RYE dull and nominal. RECEIPTS—1,000 bbls. Flour, 12,000 bushels Wheat, 14,000 bushels Corn, 4,500 bushels Oats. SHIPMENTS—1,200 bbls. Flour, 7,300 bushels Wheat, 3,600 bushels Corn, 2,200 bushels Oats.

LOUISVILLE, Wednesday, May 26.

PROVISIONS firmer; Mess PORK, $21 50@$22 50. BACON—Shoulders, 15½c.; Rib Sides, 16½c.@17½c.; Clear Sides, 17½c. HAMS, 20½c. LARD, 16½c., in tierces. FLOUR dull and lower; Superfine, $4 75@$5; Extra, $5@$5 25; Family, $6@$6 50. Wheat, per sample, $1 20@$1 25. CORN, per sample, 60c.@65c. OATS, 50c. RYE, $1 05@$1 10. WHISKY, $1 01@$1 02. TOBACCO—Leaf, active; sales 218 hhds. at $5@$12 25. GRAIN quiet and unchanged.

MILWAUKEE, Wednesday, May 26.

FLOUR dull and unchanged. WHEAT unsettled; sales at $1 18½ for No. 1; $1 12 for No. 2. OATS dull and lower; Oats from [illegible] sold at 60c. BARLEY nominal. Green Corn [illegible]; sales [illegible]. RECEIPTS—1,000 bbls. Flour, 112,000 bushels Wheat, 4,000 bushels Corn, 3,000 bushels Oats, 1,000 bushels Barley. SHIPMENTS—1,000 bbls. Flour, 115,000 bushels Wheat.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, May 26.

COTTON dull. FLOUR unchanged. WHEAT dull and weak; sales Prime Valley Red at $1 30; Fair to Good, $1 25@$1 28; Common Western Red, $1 20@$1 25; Yellow, 85c.@90c. OATS dull; Light, 65c. RYE firm at $1 40@$1 45. Mess PORK firm at $22. BACON firm; Rib Sides, 17c.; Clear Rib, 17½c.; Shoulders, 14½c.; Hams, 19c.@20c. LARD quiet at 16c.@16½c. WHISKY unchanged.

MEMPHIS, Wednesday, May 26.

COTTON dull at 27¼c.; receipts, 134 bales; exports, 878 bales. FLOUR dull; Superfine, $4@$4 25. CORN, 70c. OATS, 60c. PORK, $22. LARD, 16c.@16½c. BACON steady; Shoulders, 13½c.; Sides, 17½c. Bulk MEATS dull; Shoulders, 12½c.; Sides, 16½c.

DETROIT, Wednesday, May 26.

WHEAT firm; Extra White Winter, $1 30; No. 1 White Winter, $1 22; No. 2 White Winter, $1 24. CORN quiet at 65c. OATS, 60c.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Wednesday, May 26.

Spirits TURPENTINE firm at 42c. RESIN better; sales at $1 50@$7 25. Crude TURPENTINE, $1 70@$4. TAR, $1 50. COTTON, 26½c.@26¾c.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Wednesday, May 26.

COTTON dull and nominal; sales 75 bales; Middlings, 27½c.; receipts, 317 bales; exports, coastwise, 431 bales.

MOBILE, Ala., Wednesday, May 26.

COTTON dull; sales, 180 bales; Low Middlings, 26½c.; receipts, 92 bales.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Wednesday, May 26.

COTTON—Demand very light; Middlings, 26c.; sales, 75 bales; receipts, 279 bales.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Wednesday, May 26.

COTTON—Market easier; sales, 200 bales; receipts, 26 bales; Middlings, 26c.

Philadelphia Stock-Board.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, May 26.

Stocks steady; Pennsylvania State Fives, 100¼; Philadelphia and Erie, 51¼; Reading Railroad, 50¾; Pennsylvania Railroad, 56. Gold, 140¾.

Weather Report.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, May 26—9 A. M.

Place.	Wind.		Weather.	Ther.
Plaister Cove	N. W.		Hazy	56
Halifax	S.		Cloudy	60
Portland	S.		Clear	62
Boston	S. W.		Clear	68
New-York	N. W.		Clear	70
Philadelphia	S. W.		Clear	72
Wilmington, Del	S. W.		Hazy	73
Washington	S. W.		Hazy	74
Richmond	W.		Clear	70
Fortress Monroe	S.		Clear	70
Augusta, Ga	W.		Clear	71
Charleston	N. N. W.		Clear	72
Savannah	S. W.		Clear	67
Cincinnati	S. W.		Clear	70
Buffalo	W.		Cloudy	57
Chicago	S. E.		Cloudy	60
Pittsburg	W.		Clear	68
Louisville	S.		Clear	74
Mobile	N. W.		Clear	78
New-Orleans	S. E.		Cloudy	75
Key West	E.		Clear	80
Havana	N. E.		Clear	80

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FROM EUROPE.

Main.....May 15...Bremen.....New-York.

FOR EUROPE.

Deutschland.....May 27...New-York...Bremen.
Samaria.....May 27...New-York...Liverpool.
Cambria.....May 28...New-York...Glasgow.
City of Antwerp.....May 28...New-York...Liverpool.
St. Laurent.....May 29...New-York...Liverpool.

FOR RIO, HAVANA, &C.

Columbia.....May 27...New-York...Havana.
Cleopatra.....May 29...New-York...Havana.

Departure of Foreign Mails.

THURSDAY.

Mails for Havana and West Indies, by the Columbia, close at the General Post Office as 2 P. M.

Mails for Europe, via Southampton and Bremen, by the *Deutschland*, close at 12 M. Supplementary mail for *paid* letters, on the pier foot of Third-street, Hoboken, to 1:45 P. M.

Closing of Domestic Mails.

North, Poughkeepsie Way	5 A. M.; 4 P. M.
North, through, via H. R. R. R. and Hudson River R. R.	5 A. M.; 4 P. M.
North Way, via Harlem R. R.	5 A. M.; 9:15 P. M.
Chatham Four Corners	5 A. M.
East, via New-Haven	5 A. M.; 1:30, 6 P. M.
East, via Shore Line	5 A. M.; 2 P. M.
East, Fall River, rail	5 A. M.; 2:30 P. M.
South, through	5 A. M.; 7:30 P. M.
Philadelphia, via Amboy	5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.
West Mail, through to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Columbus, Chicago, Sti. Paul, St. Joseph, Salt Lake and Denver	7 A. M.; 6:30 P. M.
West Mail, through to Cleveland, Toledo, and by A. & G. Western R. R. to Franklin and Meadville, Penn. &c.	5 A. M.; 4 P. M.

Passengers Sailed.

MAY 26—*In steamship Amsterdam*, for *Liverpool*—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. W. Hilliard, R. Rodgers, Mrs. Geo. W. Chesley, Dr. Hope, D. McLean, F. Carey, J. Stovel, J. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Andrade, W. Thomson, Mrs. Elizabeth Rothenberger, Miss Rothenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wise and child, J. B. Hoey, Miss Holmes, Miss M. B. Hope, Mrs. T. S. Blair, 2 children and servant, Miss Wistar, J. B. Hirzel, Mrs. G. A. Thomson, 3 children and servant, Mrs. Geo. D. Bleecker, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riley, Mrs. Julia Dunn, Mrs. J. F. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Neal, Consul to Isabeau, and 2 children, Miss Emma Campbell, Miss Jennie Bailey, Miss J. Cunningham, Miss Jennie H. F. Baker, Mr. Wilson, Mrs. Mahon, George Mahon, E. Haas, J. Logan, Rev. F. Goodwin, James Hart, Geo. W. Johnson, R. M. Wesner, A. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Wilson, Mrs. Felt, Miss Felt, Miss E. H. Felt, Mrs. Waterhouse and daughter, A. Irwin, Jr., F. R. Kimball, Miss Endore Clark, Mrs. E. D. Kim